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NAPANEE, ONTARIO, CANADA—TUESDAY, MARCH 22nd, 1921.

DOXSEE & CO.

LOVELY HATS

Dame Fashion is not playing the autocrat in the Spring Hat Styles, and that has led a fashion authority to say, "Any style is fashionable that is becoming."

Our show room gives expression to this idea to the very fullest in the exhibit of beautiful models and "personal" creations from our own workrooms.

Fancy Straws are the order of the day — Cellophane, Satin Straws galore, combined with Crepe de Chene, Satin or Ribbon colors Languerine and Onionskin, Jade, Henna, Grey, Browns, Mrs. Harding Blue.

VOILE AND ORGANDY NECK-WEAR

This Neckwear is mostly in Sheer Organdy or fine Voile Vestees, trimmed with Trixy Tucks, with flat-lying Collar attached in all the smart styles and colors.

Scarfs, Hosiery and Corsets Special Values.

The Leading Millinery House

COAL

I have a supply of choice, fresh mined

Hard Coal

CHAS. STEVENS

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Enamel Ware Special

The Following Lines at Less Than Half Price

—Rice Boilers
—Potato Pots (all sized.)
—Water Pails
—Dippers
—Sauce Pans
—Stew Kettles
—Tea Kettles.

DAVY & ALLISON,

Next to Caton's.

NOTICE

To all owners of Vehicles drawing loads on roads.

NOTICE is hereby given that during the months of March and April no vehicle will be allowed to carry more than half its rated carrying capacity on any road in the County of Lennox and Addington.

Contrary to statutes.

Any person infringing above statutory provisions will be dealt with according to law.

SAM. BRIEN,
H. C. C.

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TENDERS FOR STREET SPRINKLING.

Tendes for street sprinkling will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of April 4th, 1921. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. A. GRANGE,
Clerk.

Dated March 21st, 1921.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT NOTICE

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Napanee intends to construct as a local improvement a sewer on Dundas street, between the western limits of the corporation and a point 200 feet easterly therefrom, and intends to specially assess the cost upon the land abutting directly on the work.

The estimated cost of the work is $250.00, of which no portion is to be paid by the corporation. The estimated special rate per foot frontage is 62½ cents. The special assessment is to be paid in five annual installments.

A petition against the work will not avail to prevent its construction.

W. A. GRANGE,
Clerk.

Dated March 21st, 1921.

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Business Sold

Mr. W. J. Normile announces that he has disposed of his Automobile and Repair Business, as well as his Garage to Messrs. Ross Paul and Ernest F. Smith.

Mr. Normile bespeaks for the new firm a share of the generous patronage given him.

All accounts due must be settled at once in order to close up the business.

W. J. Normile

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Wholesale and Retail

—Dealer in—

HAY, STRAW,
All kinds of Grain.
FLOUR, FEED.
All kinds of Field Seeds at Greatly Reduced Prices.

SEED CORN

Guaranteed Very Cheap.

Car of wire fencing and gates at specially reduced prices. See me first before selling or buying elsewhere.

FRED. A. PERRY,

Dundas Street,
NAPANEE, - ONTARIO.
Opposite Campbell House.

Another one cent sale at WALLACE'S. Watch for the date.

WALLACE'S, Prescription Druggists. Three graduates in attendance and three messengers for quick service.

WHY YOU SHOULD SAVE

To insure yourself against an unknown future.
To insure happiness and comfort in your old age.
To insure provision for your family in the event of your death.
Commence Saving to-day with

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

TOTAL RESOURCES - $550,000,000

Taking Stock

IT is just as important to take an inventory of one's self as it is of one's business.

Ask yourself this question "If during the next five years I save the same amount I already have put by, how much will I be worth in 1925?"

Then let our Savings Department aid you in accomplishing the task.

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Paints, Oils, Glass, Putty and high grade Varnishes and Varnish Stains at WILSON'S Hardware.

WHERE IS THE WOMAN?

This is a Question That is Puzzling the Rockwood Asylum Authorities.

Where is Miss Amelia Earle? This is a question that is being asked by officials of Rockwood Hospital and relatives of the woman who reside at Napanee. Miss Earle's disappearance was mysterious and sudden and no clue was left that enabled the officials of the asylum or her relatives to form any conjecture as to her whereabouts, or in what direction to carry on their search. Did she merely wander away to die from exposure on the inclement weather? Did she go out to the lake and throw herself into the water? Or has she gone into seclusion where no one will find her?

Miss Earle was fifty-nine years of age and her home was in Napanee. She came to the House of Providence and was cared for as an inmate of the institution until she became mentally deranged, when she was taken to Rockwood Asylum and there cared for. Here her condition was not regarder as serious and she was given practically the freedom of the institutions and grounds with a view to inducing her restorations to normalcy with satisfactory results. On February 19th last, she disappeared from Rockwood and every effort to locate her has failed. She had not been seen by persons residing in the vicinity of the institution, neither did she return to the House of Providence or to her family connections at Napanee. The following advertisement was placed in the Kingston Whig two days after her reported disappearance:

Wandered from Rockwood Hospital, Saturday, Feb. 19th, Miss Amelia Earle, patient, aged fifty-nine years, wearing taupe colored toque, black coat with plush collar, gold-rimmed glasses, and rubbers. Appears on clothing. Any person who can give any information as to her whereabouts, kindly communicate with W. H. Dunbar, Napanee, phone 246, or Rockwood Hospital.

Mr. Dunbar states that no communication has been received in reply to the above advertisement and the family are mystified by what is regarded as a very mysterious disappearance. A telephone to Rockwood Asylum regarding the case brought forth the information that the mystery remains unsolved.

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CENTREVILLE.

The roads through here are in a terrible condition.

Several farmers are busily engaged making syrup and have already made a fair amount.

John Cassidy received a bad cut on the hand from coming in contact with a buzz saw operating on his own farm on Thursday last. Several stitches were required to close the wound, which is now doing as well as could be expected.

James McGill purchased a load of cattle on the Toronto market on Monday and arrived home with them on Tuesday.

Hugh Donnelly has been renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.

Joseph Cavanaugh and James Foster are pressing hay for Chas. Dewey.

Mrs. J. Cavanaugh spent a week with friends at Erinsville.

Moving and house cleaning now seems to be the order of the day.

Farmers are looking for an early spring seeding.

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ROBLIN.

A new boarding house has started in the village at Mrs. W. Smith's.

Mrs. Roy Schermehorn and children are visiting at Mr. John Schermehorn's.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilson spent the past week with relatives in Toronto.

We are all pleased to know that Calvin Powers is home again after a serious operation in Kingston Hospital.

Miss Ruth Kimmett is visiting friends in Tamworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Pennell and family, Deseronto, have moved here and Mr. Pennell has taken over the blacksmithing from Mr. P. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Powers motored to Enterprise on Thursday.

Mr. Alymer Hartin left on Monday for the West.

The Standard Church convention will commence on Wednesday, March 23rd, continuing over Sunday. Several new ministers are expected to assist.

A baby girl came to board with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Young on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilson took tea with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kimmett on Sunday evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. Campbell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arch McCracken at Mr. D. Lasher's on Sunday for tea.

Mr. Hanes from the West visited at Mr. John Schermehorn's for a few days.

Mrs and Mrs. Frank McConnell, Sr., at Mrs. A. Kimmett's on Sunday evening.

Miss Marie Paul, Napanee, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Wm. Paul had the misfortune to fall in his barn and got a bad shaking up but no bones broken.

Word was received here on Saturday of the death in Kingston of Mrs. Roberts, mother of our school teacher, Miss M. Roberts. Much sympathy is extended to Miss Roberts.

Now is the time to paint. You can get the best at D. Lasher's.

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You will find bargains in Rubber Goods and Thermos Bottles at Knight's up-to-date Pharmacy, Napanee.

SAMSON TRACTOR SCHOOL

The Samson Tractor Company, of Oshawa, held a two day's tractor school at Mr. C. A. Wiseman's Garage on Thursday and Friday of last week.

A large number of prospective purchasers and tractor owners attended during the two days to examine the Samson tractor and learn something of the operation of the machine.

The Samson Tractor Co. were careful to select as a dealer a man well known in the auto business and who can be relied upon to give the same good service to tractor owners as he has been giving to owners of cars and who has had experience enough to know what is likely to be required in the way of supplies and repairs.

The company have millions of dollars worth of repairs stored in their factory for the accommodation of purchasers of their tractors, so that repairs will be at all times immediately available.

The Samson Tractor Company of Oshawa is a subsidiary of the Geeral Motors Corporation, but the main factory is located at Janesville, Wisconsin, having a number of branches in the United States and Canada. The company not only manufacture tractors but trucks and passenger cars. The Samson tractor is designed to meet the needs of every farmer who farms in the up-to-date, efficient way and is striving to get the greatest yields for the least cost both in money and man power. The Samson products are the result of many years' ripened experience in the manufacturing of farm machinery and combined with their practical utility, the essential qualities of well designed and properly constructed machines that give to the farmer the utmost in service and long life.

Behind the Samson products is an organization with unlimited resources combined with every known and modern manufacturing facility for supplying the farmers of America with quality products on a tremendous quantity basis and at the most possible unequalled money saving values.

Mr. W. J. Mullen, Eastern Ontario Factory representative, in charge, introduced Mr. P. E. Clarke, of Janesville, U.S.A., who gave a very interesting talk on Samson Tractor. He told history of the Company and the tractor itself. He showed where, by using a tractor resulted in a large saving in both time and money over the use of horses for similar work. He also backed his statements up by Government reports on farm economy, following up by explaining the Samson six, by the details of the Samson four.

M. B. M. Robinson, Factory Demonstrator and expert field man, gave a very enlightening talk on the specifications in detail of the Samson Tractor, and its special features and advantages over other makes of tractos, and answered many questions.

Mr. H. P. Wilson, Special Factory Representative from Oshawa, confined his talk to the trucks and their important relation to transportation. He stated that a truck will haul three times as much as a horse and wagon at half the cost per ton mile. He backed his assertions up with Government investigation repots. He told of the advantage of truck transportation and explained the many special features which the Samson Model 15 and 25 had over other trucks of like capacity.

The General Motors Corporation is the first large corporation in the automobile field and the third largest industrial company in existence. This great corporation manufactures such cars as the Cadillac, Scripps-Booth, McLaughlin, Chevrolet, Oldsmobile automobiles which have a wide reputation as up-to-date cars.

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For strength and flavor "Daly's Good Tea" has no equal. For sale at WALLACE'S.

CAMDEN EAST.

It is with much regret that the death of the late William Skinner, of Macdonald College, St. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, is chronicled. Deceased was taken ill a few weeks ago with typhoid fever, and was thought to be out of danger, but he passed away on Friday last.

Mr. Skinner was born at Camden East sixty-six years ago and was the eldest son of the late J. Skinner. In his early youth he went to California and thence to Mexico. He returned to his old home and married Miss Eliza Greenway, daughter of Mrs. and the late Samuel Greenway. He took up his residence at Yarker, and spent a number of years there as blacksmith. Eleven years ago he moved to Macdonald College, near Montreal, where he secured a position as instructor in the blacksmith department.

Deceased was held in high esteem as was shown by the many beautiful floral offerings. He was a good citizen, a kind father and a loving husband. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, three sons and one daughter, namely, Clarence, at home; Samuel, Toronto; William, Pinkham, Sask.; and Kathleen at home. Also two brothers, John and James, Camden East, and two sisters, Mrs. C. Edgar, Yarker, and Mrs. H. W. Davy, Winnipeg, Man.

The remains were brought to Camden East to the home of his brother, James Skinner. The funeral took place in St. Luke's church, Monday afternoon of last week, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Dickinson. The funeral was largely attended by friends from far and near. The remains were placed in the family plot.

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B. & H. English paint, known the world over, for sale at WALLACE'S.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Council Chamber,
March 21st, 1921.

Cuncil met in regular session on Monday, evening, Mayor M. P. Graham presiding.

Present—Reeve Boyes and Councillors Roblin, Wilson, Paul, Ming, Hartman and Steacy.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and confirmed.

A communication was read from the Ontario Municipal Association dealing with questions of that organization and asking the council to become a member.

Ordered filed.

A communication was read from the E. A. James Co., Toronto, stating that they were mailing a blue print of the work to be done on Dundas street in installing the different services, prior to the work of laying a permanent pavement.

Laid on the table.

Mr. Geo. A. Walters asked the council for 165 feet of 6 inch tile to connect with the sewer, in order that he may instal modern improvements in his dwelling on Isabelle street. He was willing to shoulder the expense of excavating and laying the sewer.

Referred to the Streets Committee with power to act.

Mrs. B. E. Anderson and others petitioned the council for a sewer and water main on the Bellevill road fronting their property.

Referred to Streets Committee to report.

Mr. D. Pizzariello tendered for the caretaking of the Harvey Warner park at the same salary as last year.

Tender accepted.

Moved by Reeve Boyes seconded by Coun. Steacy, that the town purchase the Williams property, and the McCallum property, north of the C.N. Railway, for factory sites at a price of $2500.00. Carried.

Coun. Roblin, Chairman of the Streets Committee, presented the following report:

1st.—We have investigated the request from Mr. John O'Neill and others for the tile to complete the drainings along the East side of street just north of Vines Corner. We find it will require about 190 feet of 6 inch tile to make the necessary improvement and we would recommend that your committee be authorized to purchase said tile and have the work carried out.

2nd.—We have also investigated the condition of drain from Mr. Archie McGuires property on Newburgh road and we would recommend that the ditch in question be cleaned out and that the necessary tile be secured to drain this property. Said work be done under the direction of the street foreman at the most convenient time.

3rd.—In reference to the question of securing information re Road Roller with Scarifier attachment would report that your committee find that this class of machine is apparently in the experimental stage and we would recommend no action for this year.

4th.—A fence has been built along the east side of Roblin Hill from the bridge to the easterly as Councillor Paul's house and the balance of fence will be built at an early date.

5th.—Your committee are having the streets cleaned and the mud drawn off.

6th.—Mr. Keefer, of Messrs. James Proctor & Redfern, Ltd., has completed survey of Dundas street and has submitted a plan showing sewer and water services at present installed, also those to be installed. Your committee have instructed the Clerk to prepare the necessary By-law for the carrying out of this work. We would recommend that 100 copies of this by-law be printed and that a copy be mailed to each property owner effected, also a letter be enclosed with each copy of by-law suggesting to said property owners that they authorize the Town to do the necessary work as the work can be done more economically if done in a wholesale way.

7th.—The sewer on Dundas St. is constructed to within 200 feet of the westerly limits. It will be necessary to continue this sewer to the westerly limits of the town and your committee would recommend that this extension be made and that the Clerk advertise for the necessary work to be done to make said extension, said work to be done as a local improvement.

Coun. Steacy, Chairman of the Printing and By-laws Committee, presented a report in reference to matters coming before committee. They reported that on investigation they were of the opinion that the town's dog by-law did not meet requirements. They also recommended that the Clerk be instructed to purchase the necessary dog tags for use of the town.

Report adopted.

A By-law, requiring all property owners on Dundas street, from the westerly limits of the corporation to the G. T. R. bridge, to have connection with the sewer and also proper and sufficient connections with the waterworks mains, said work to be completed by May 1st, was given its several readings and finally passed.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to advertise for tenders for street sprinkling, said tenders to be submitted before next meeting of council.

On motion the Market and Police Committee were instructed to report on the question of a Building By-law and the extension of the fire limits.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

E. O. Ungar	$ 2 25
Templeton & Son	46 80

An account from J. L. Boyes, $3.20, was referred to the Poor and Sanitary Committee with power to act.

"Muresco" your walls and ceilings. May be used satisfactorily over wall paper. A full line of colors at WILSON'S Hardware.

How Delicious"

is the opinion of all who have once tried

"SALADA"

TEA

If YOU have not tried it, send us a post card for a free sample, stating the price you now pay and if you use Black, Green or Mixed Tea. Address Salada, Toronto

Improve Your Stock

IT pays to be a leader in the quality of your cattle, hogs, etc. Now is a good time for you to introduce famous breeds as a basis for improved stock. There are many opportunities for buying thoroughbred stock.

Responsible, progressive farmers should consult the Manager of our nearest branch regarding financial assistance to this end.

THE DOMINION BANK

NAPANEE BRANCH, G. PATTEN CARR, Manager.

Sub-Agency at Roblin, open Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

From December 15th to April 15th, Roblin Sub-Agency open on Thursdays and Fridays.

Start the Children Right

Teach them the happiness of Saving — the pleasure of Economy — the wisdom of Providing for the future. Open a Savings Account for each child ($1 each is sufficient) and pay them for any work they do, depositing their earnings in their Savings Account. They will appreciate the value of work, and just what a dollar stands for in effort and muscle.

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DOG LOST—A Scotch collie with white strip from nose to top of head, and light ring around neck and leg. Last seen on March 21st, 1921. Answers to the name of "Sport," collar around neck. Parties harboring dog will be prosecuted. Finder please notify MR. PHILIP HEARNS, or CHIEF BARRETT, Napanee.

MT. PLEASANT YORKSHIRES

Have some extra long type February pigs, bred from prize stock at Guelph and local fairs. Correspondence solicited.

Oak Ridge Dons P. O. 3-65494 for service.

H. E. PRINGLE,
Napanee. 16-d

NEW AUCTIONEER.

Having taken out a license for this County as Auctioneer, if you intend to sell out, just "touch the live wire" and let me handle your sale. Orders left at the Campbell House, Napanee or 'Phone at my expense to ring 13, Adolphustown, will receive prompt attention. Usual terms.

HERBERT W. GALLAGHER
Dorland P. O.
11-3-m

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM
—BY—
PUBLIC AUCTION

There will be sold by public auction on Thursday, the 31st day of March, A.D., 1921, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Herrington, Warner & Grange, in the town of Napanee, the following lands, namely: part of the east half of lot fifteen in the first concession and the broken front in front thereof, in the Township of Richmond, formerly owned and occupied by the late Gilbert McGreer, and containing 130 acres, more or less. There are about 25 acres of timber.

Sale subject to reserved bid.

For further terms and conditions of sale see Vendor's solicitors.

HERRINGTON, WARNER & GRANGE,
Vendor's Solicitors.
Napanee, March 21st, 1921. 17-bp

Substitute for Radium.

It is said by American experts that a substitute for radium can be produced through a chemical process which purifies mesothorium. Mesothorium is a by-product in the manufacture of mantles for gas lamps, and is found in the monazite ore of Brazil. The radium substitute can be used effectively for medical purposes, it is claimed.

The forest area of Brazil is estimated at 1,500,000 square miles, or about 48 per cent. of the total area of the country.

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TORONTO

WANTED—Good general servant. Apply to MRS. W. J. DOLLER. 17-b

WANTED—AA smart young girl as assistant saleslady. Apply to DOXSEE & CO. 17-b

WANTED—A smart girl for housework. Apply at once to MRS. ROY E. ROOT, Adelphi St. 13-tf

WANTED AT ONCE—First class general maid. No children, no laundry. Apply MISS GER. TRUDE DEITZLER, next to G. T. R. Bridge. 17-bp

FARM FOR SALE—125 acres, good buildings, convenient to church, school and markets. Apply to U. M. WILSON, solicitor, Napanee, Ont. 42tf

FOR SALE—A number of houses and lots in town, and also a number of desirable farms. Apply to T. B. GERMAN. 42-tf

JERSEY COW FOR SALE—Fawn color, five years old, pure bred, milking, will come in later. ROBT. PERRY, R.M.D. N. 4, 'Phone 183-24, Napanee.

FOR SALE—Several yearling Shorthorn bulls, all registered. Also Seed Clover seed at $5.00 per bushel; Seed Barley at $1.25 per bus., free from foul seed. W. G. SCHELL, Bath, No. 2, 'Phone 153, ring 2-2. 15-d

WANTED—Cattle to pasture. Yearlings $6.00; two-year-old and over, $7.00 per season. Will also take in horses. Abundance of grass and water. Apply to MEDA B. CHAMBERS or HERB. D. CHAMBERS, Box 80, Napanee, Ont. 17-bp

FOR SALE—Properties owned by the late Stephen Madden are for sale. Brick residence, Lot No. 3, West street, Napanee; all modern conveniences, never failing well, large barn included. Lots Nos. 19 and 20, 2nd concession Richmond, 52 acres more or less, adjoining town limits, on Belleville road; all good work land. Lots Nos. 14 and 15, in Clarksville, near town; garden land, 2 acres more or less; good frame building known as Slaughter House, cement floors, force pump, tracks, etc. Lots Nos. 21 and 22, in North Fredericksburgh, 1½ miles from town by Kingston road (Highway); 31 acres more or less, all work land, suitable for gardening; a good barn and orchard, small fruits, berries, etc. Apply to ORVAL C. MADDEN, Box 117, Napanee. 17tf

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Tablets without "Bayer Cross" are not Aspirin at all

Get genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer" package, plainly marked with the safety "Bayer Cross."

The "Bayer Cross" is your only way of knowing that you are getting genuine Aspirin, prescribed by physicians for nineteen years and proved safe by millions for Headache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, and for Pain generally. Made in Canada.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—also larger sized "Bayer" packages.

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Our Homemade Candy continues to please our patrons.

If you have not tried it call and get some on your way home. Your wife and family will appreciate it.

CHOCOLATES of all sorts and prices

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The Candy Store.

A Suggestion.

The twelve-year-old was called upon to recite to his uncle.

Bravely he began: "At midnight in his guarded tent the Turk lay dreaming of the hour when Greece, her knee—"

There he faltered. Thrice he repeated, "Greece, her knee," then stopped.

"Grease her knee once more, Bertie," suggested the uncle. "Perhaps she'll go easier then."

Cured.

"They tell me you have cured yourself of chronic insomnia."

"Yes; I'm completely cured."

"It must be a great relief."

"Relief is not the word at all. Why, I lie awake half the night thinking how I used to suffer from it."

Cheap.

Mullett—"Is that a cheap restaurant?"

Hallett—"Why, rather! You get your hat back free with every pound's worth of dinner you have."

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The Man With the Scar

"WAIT just a moment, please. I'll have to find out something about this cheque."

As he spoke, the paying teller of the Bloosbury branch of the London and Westminster Bank watched the man on the outside of the cage very carefully. He felt certain that the cheque in question was a forgery and he wanted to see if the man who presented it showed any signs of nervousness. But none was apparent.

The clerk, for such he appeared to be stepped aside and waited for the teller to make his investigations.

On the surface there was nothing wrong with the cheque. It was made out to "Bearer" for the sum of £5,000 and a similar cheque had been cashed at the bank on the preceding morning for the past two years in order to meet the payroll of a factory nearby. But the trouble in this case lay in the fact that it was only an hour before, the regular weekly cheque had been presented and paid. This was the second one for the same amount.

As inquiry showed, however, it was not the second cheque that had been forged, but the first. Detective Froest, superintendent of Scotland Yard, took hold of it—and even as experienced a detective as he had to admit that the clues were very slight, indeed.

Knowing the usual plan of operation of the successful forger, Froest reasoned the case backwards and deduced that the man responsible for the fraud would not have run the risk of detection had he not have hired someone else to take the cheque to the bank and would have been ready instantly to lose himself in the event that suspicion were aroused. The "runner" or accomplice would probably not be a criminal, as this would entail too much danger of apprehension by some policeman who might recognize him.

"No," said Froest, "the clever forger—and this man was undoubtedly a clever—would not attend an office of some kind as a blind. He would have hired one clerk for several weeks before the attempted coup. He would probably intercept the clerk en route from the bank, secure the money and disappear. Therefore, it would be well to remember before it would be opened small offices within the past two months and locate, if possible, the clerks they hired."

A task of this magnitude naturally necessitated long and monotonous work by the men of Scotland Yard and, but for the fact that Froest acceded in finding the office he was looking for—that occupied by a man who had supposedly failed on the Stock Exchange—the London and Westminster Bank had been defrauded.

The superintendent of Scotland Yard, armed with a fairly accurate description of the man he sought, felt the case was progressing satisfactorily. After several weeks of quiet investigation, as he expected, he was only slightly closer to the real criminal, for Baxter, the clerk, was a young man of unimpeachable character.

"Yes, I cashed the cheque," he admitted. "There wasn't anything wrong with it, was there? I'd been working for this man for several weeks a month, addressing envelopes and such like. Then, one morning—Saturday it was — he said he needed some assistance and I was about to come around to the bank with that cheque for £5,000 and a slip telling me what denominations of money I was to ask for."

"I'd no sooner gotten outside the bank," continued the clerk, "when Mr. Johnson met me, said that he was in a hurry and handed the money in his bag without even counting it. He added that he might not be back for some time and gave me a ten-pound note to cover my expenses while he was gone. That was the last I saw of him. The office hasn't been opened since, so far as I know."

"But this man Johnson," persisted Froest. "What did he look like? Any distinguishing marks or anything?"

"Nothing beyond a scar over one eye," said Baxter. "He was about medium height and fairly heavy, with grayish hair. Dressed well and talked better. Not a man that you'd be able to pick out in a crowd, but I'd know him the minute I laid eyes on him. Oh, yes—there was another thing—he spoke like an American."

Even this information was not exactly definite, but Froest followed the records of all the known American criminals until he found that of a man named Sloan, who had been cashiered from the navy for forging pay orders. Here he struck his first tangible clue. Sloan had a scar over one eye, a reminder of his former days as a sailor.

Less than twenty-four hours after the identification of the whole man had been flashed all over Europe and across the ocean, word was received from Paris that an American of Sloan's description was living in luxurious ease. Accompanied by Baxter, Froest crossed the Channel and the clerk instantly identified the American as his former employer. At Sloan's trial it developed that he had swindled Gow, Mills & Co., out of several thousand pounds by precisely the same method he used in the London and Westminster case, and as a result, he was sentenced to fifteen years penal servitude.

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A STRANGE CUSTOM.

How Governments Throw Down the Gauntlet to Oppositions.

On March 22, 1603, two days before the death of Queen Elizabeth, a resolution was passed by the House of Commons of England whereby "the first day of every sitting in every parliament, some one bill, and no more, receiveth a first reading for form's sake." Duly fulfilling this ancient requirement, the Ontario Legislature when it opened the other day gave the first reading to "An Act Respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office to Persons Appointed Justices of the Peace." The bill is a "dummy." It is read once, and that is the end of it—until it turns up for another first reading at the opening of the next session. Toronto's City Council, which annually appoints directors to the boards of defunct railways, has a rival in the Ontario Legislature, with this solemn farce of reading a bill which consists only of a title.

But even the Mother of Parliaments goes through the same performance. In the British Commons, the mythical bill is "For the more effectual preservation of the peace on railways," while the Lords whet their appetites for the year's work with "An Act regarding Select Vestries." In the Irish Commons, Bill No. 1 has to do with "The Administration of Oaths of Office" and disappears (until next year) after its first reading. The Senate, regarded as the stronghold of private interests, commences its menu, appropriately enough, with "An Act Relating to Railways." But while the dummy bill in the Commons results in the first genuine bill being numbered "Two," it is the Senate's poor memory after concerning its short-lived "Act Relating to Railways," and the first bill thereafter is number "A," as though the alumny had never existed.

Behind all these farcical first readings there is a principle. Each is, so to speak, a chip from the block of parliament, which the crown will knock off if it dare. The dummy bill is introduced at the critical, or supposedly critical, juncture in the Speech from the Throne has been read, but not considered. It is parliament's declaration that it has a perfect right to go on with its own business before dealing with the program set for it by the King. As an English authority puts it, parliament is thus enabled to assert the right of deliberation without reference to the immediate cause of its summons."

But nothing of the kind would happen if some radical government forgot to waste time on Bill No. 1.

OLD IRISH LAW.

Poetry Was One of Its Marked Characteristics.

Even a subject so essentially prosaic as the law was interwoven with poetry in old Ireland, where justice was administered by the File (Fidleah) or poet, the most important person in the country after the King. But this poetry was a much more practical art with primitive races than it usually is in the present day. In olden times verse was employed when the matter to be recorded was of particular importance, or of a nature that called not only for grace and beauty of expression but for dignity of language as well. When the ancient laws of Ireland were revised under St. Patrick, a File was summoned "to put a stop to disputes round them." Dr. Graves regards it as a convincing proof of the antiquity of the Seanchus-Mor, or Great Body of the Law, that so much of the text is in metrical form.

"Brehon Laws" is the term generally given to the ancient Irish code. But it is a misnomer. The "Brehon" is simply the Irish name for a judge. When the English introduced the expression "Brehon Laws" into the country they meant the old Irish law as administered by Irish judges in contradistinction to England statute law. The Seanchus-Mor contains the code of laws under which Ireland was governed from 441 A.D. down to the commencement of the seventeenth century. It is a compilation of the native laws, expurgated of paganism by a Council of Brehons and Divines held by St. Patrick at Nobber in Meath, and at Cara, between 438 and 441. Because of Druidic services on these occasions the title of "lawgiver" was conferred upon St. Patrick by the people of Ireland.

From twelve to twenty years of special study was needed to qualify a File for the legal profession. What the precise difference was between the duties of the Ollav (Ollamh) or chief File, and those of the Brehon, or judge, is not very clear; but it is supposed that the Brehon was chiefly occupied with private cases and the File with public. Faulty as it no doubt was in many respects, the Brehon code was in advance by with contemporary systems and, as has been often said, no other country, situated as Ireland was, can show anything to equal it, or even come near it in perfection—for its date.

The Council of Tara assembled in St. Patrick's time for the purpose of revising the ancient laws. Before this was the last really legislative assembly ever held on that historic hill, with the exception of that summoned by Aodan in 697, and which was interrupted women from military service.

In the course of an address to the Royal Irish Academy in connection with the Brehon laws, Dr. Graves said that the fidelity with which the Irish people clung to their ancient code was most remarkable, no invader, whether Dane or Saxon, being able to make any important change in the legislative system of the country, and that it was not till about two hundred years ago that the English laws succeeded in displacing the Brehon code in Ireland.

Our Indians.

Canada has 105,000 Indians, found in every province. They have nearly 100,000 acres under cultivation and their reserves and have a total annual income of $8,500,000. Twelve thousand Indian children and young people are in 24 schools. Over 4,000 Indians enlisted in the war, though they did not come within the Conscription Act.

Medals From England.

The Department of Records of the Dominion Government is busy just now receiving medals from Britain and shipping these out to various Canadian participators in the Great War. Some 20,000 service medals were received in the last shipment. Only those who have seen service in France are entitled to the medals.

THEY COLLECT STAMPS

80,000 ENTHUSIASTS AT WORK IN ONTARIO.

Old Fad Has Been Resurrected Since the End of the Great War, and Some Philatelists in This Country Have Valuable Collections. Canadian Rarities Have Values as High as $1,400 for Single Copy.

TWENTY thousand school boys in Ontario before the war collected stamps in the way boys have of collecting anything, butterflies or birds' eggs, with terrific temporary enthusiasm, much barter and little cash. Of serious collectors at this period, principally grown-ups, about 3,000 had stamp collections varying in value from $5 to $300, and between 300 and 400 had collections worth between $200 and $20,000. Few collections locally seem to exceed in value this last figure.

These figures are vouched for by Mr. Frank S. Porter, who probably knows as much about stamps as anyone in Ontario and who arrived at them by getting in touch with dealers and schools throughout the province.

"Since the armistice was signed," declares Mr. Porter, "as close an estimate as can be made reveals the fact that collectors possessing moderately priced collections have increased in number 250 per cent."

In other words, according to Mr. Porter's calculations, there are about 80,000 people who collect stamps in Ontario and some 10,000 people who collect in a somewhat more serious way. The number with really valuable collections has not increased.

Why is this so? To arrive at a conclusion, it is necessary to review the situation.

A flood of new postage stamps issues was brought out in consequence of the occupation of territory by foreign powers. In the case of stamps of the occupied territories were still used by the invading Governments, being distinguished simply by the word "Overprinted." For example, the German occupation of Belgium was commemorated by "overprinting" the ordinary issues of that land, as well as by "surcharging" new issues.

Similarly with the French occupation of Togoland. This practice gave rise to many hundreds of issues which are comparatively rare and of the war would never have existed.

Aside from the exigencies of the war, the abnormal expenditures rendered it necessary to raise funds for all sorts of purposes, particularly the Red Cross. Scores of countries, therefore, brought out Red Cross issues. These stamps were sold above their face value.

Most countries also imposed a tax on mail matter, "overprinting" the ordinary stamps "war tax" or "war stamp" and thus creating more new issues.

"The general interest in these stamps," declares Mr. Porter, "which were directly the result of the world war naturally attracted those already collecting and the collectors of the pocket who had never thought of doing so before."

Asked to explain why the collections of rare value had increased so enormously, while those of greater value had neither increased in number or worth, Mr. Porter said: "For the reason that the rare later issues were not high priced, so that a large number could be collected without making the outlay of any considerable sum. The old collections are valuable because they contain a great number of early rarities. So none of these late issues increase their value to any great degree."

As an example of how rare stamps come into being, Mr. Porter cited the case of the Newfoundland issue of last October. The two and three-cent caribou issue became exhausted. A new supply was momentarily expected. In the meantime the post office department had to act. So they "overprinted" the 15 cent and 35 cent issue with words "three cents" and the 60 cent issue with the words "two cents." These were in use only two or three weeks. Hence they will be rarities in the course of time.

It is pretty well to remember sometimes that the postage stamp is as modern almost as the automobile. The first adhesive stamp in the world was the one penny Black of Queen Victoria, issued by Great Britain in 1840. Stamps did not arrive in Canada until 1851. Previous to that the fee for delivering a letter at the post office and the envelope or document to be delivered was simply marked "fee paid, three pence," or some such wording.

Between 1851 and 1861 came the gems of the Canadian issues; there are practically no rarities since. In later date, in those days the provinces of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick each had a separate issue, in fact up to Confederation in 1867. The rest of the Canada, Ontario, Quebec and the Great West had the ordinary Canadian stamps.

The Maritime Provinces and British Columbia issues are rich in rarities. Away back in the early days the province

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Some Odd Contradictions That May Now Be Found In Politics of Old Land

"THERE always has been room in the Tory party for a few idealists," says Lord Henry Bentinek, representative of a prominent English family. He was speaking of the Irish question, but his statement, in its wider aspects also, is suggestive.

At first sight, it looks like an indictment, from one of its own members, of the Tory party. "A few idealists" seem to be all the Tory party can accommodate. Liberals and Laborites would probably claim that all their members, or nearly all, were idealists, or that at least their parties could absorb as many idealists as presented themselves for initiation.

This self-indictment, however, is lessened or disappears altogether if an interpretation of Lord Bentinck's opinion is given in terms of a popular belief nowadays that idealism is a fault rather than a virtue.

The war, rightly or wrongly, has led many to profound disappointment and considerable disillusionment, and a reaction against idealism is apparent in many quarters. This is true not only in the political field, but also in the religious. A prominent English theologian recently criticized the cult of idealism as being founded often on a basis at once unkind, unreal and egotistical.

It may be that Lord Henry Bentinck realizes this trend of thought and claims for the Tory party not too much idealism, but merely a leaven to keep the rest of the materialistic lump fresh.

Even those who still cling passionately to idealism, seeing in it not weakness but strength, not egotism but neighbor-love, may concede that the Tory party does include, in its ranks and in its creed, a share of idealism.

It is common knowledge that, in the Union Government of Canada, several of the progressives and idealists were Tories, while some of the reactionaries and materialists were technically Liberals. It is equally true, of course, that other Tories and Liberals were true to the traditional characteristics of their parties.

A Toronto man, keen student of politics, referred to another Toronto as "Tory radical." Such nomenclature might seem chaotic and contradictory were it not that the Tory party, both in Canada and Britain, occasionally does produce genuine progressives, and usually does contain some forward looking group.

In Britain, there is always such a nucleus in the party. Lord Henry Bentinck himself has often taken a generous view of domestic and social questions. More prominent still is Lord Robert Cecil. Despite occasional views which sometimes appear narrow, his general outlook on life and politics is essentially idealistic in the best sense. Lord Milner is a weird combination of rampant Toryism in its generally accepted meaning, and of a much more enlightened and humane creed.

The new Viscount Astor, formerly Major Vincent Waldorf Astor, is one of a number of "Young Tories" who have devoted themselves to social reforms, earning a deep debt of gratitude from their countrymen.

The outstanding example of the "Tory Radical" is Philip Kerr. This young Oxonian is the heir to a dukedom, but before the war he used much of his enormous influence, both inside the Tory party and without, towards policies of social readjustment and regeneration. Since the war, as confidential adviser to Lloyd George, his attention has been occupied almost entirely with foreign affairs, but it is hoped that, as times become normal again, he will resume his interests in domestic problems, too.

All of which goes to show that, although Liberalism and Toryism, as represented in political parties bearing their names, go different paths and have different outlooks, there is, between them, a half-way land where their ideals and their practices meet.

It is probable also that the newer and more radical Labor party will have, if it has not already, within its ranks men and influences more Liberal and Tory than radical.

There are few things—not excepting even science, or the new modes of aesthetics—quite as complex as politics, because it deals with human beings. The field of morals and behavior is the only department of life more complex even than politics.

English Drama.

To-day the drama is flourishing in England as it has not flourished in at least two centuries, says Brander Magazine. On both sides of the Atlantic there are now dramatists of varied ability who have mastered the mystery of playmaking, and who are setting before us on the stage the life of our own time, ingeniously, inventively, and on occasion imaginatively. No longer do British and American managers pick up the crumbs that fall from the tables of the French; they can set forth a bounteous feast without being forced to import canned meats from foreign parts.

To Connect Strasburg With Basle.

At present the river Rhine is only navigable as far as Strasburg, and it is proposed to construct a canal to facilitate navigation between that city and Basle.

Seas Carefully Patrolled By Autocratic Policemen And Courts of Justice

THE man who thinks he can escape the "long arm of the law" on the high seas is laboring under a dangerous delusion.

Every fleet of Europe has its police boats, cruising swiftly and stealthily over the waters in search of offenders. They have no prescribed beat; they run to no time table.

To-day the searchlight of one such vessel may be sweeping the sea over the Dogger Bank; to-morrow, she may be chasing smugglers a hundred miles away. And she takes with her the whole panoply of the law, with powers not only to arrest the evildoers, but to try and pass judgment on them.

These vessels are, in fact, floating law courts. Their commanders are the judges, with authority to assess damages and to impose penalties, and their judgment is subject only to the revision of the Appeal Court. From arrest to sentence their powers are complete.

Perhaps their most important duty is to keep a watchful eye on the fishermen.

Fishing boats are the only craft that are allowed to use two distinct lights when moving—a white light at the masthead when their nets are in the water, and the ordinary sailing lights when it is out. But the skipper who wishes to have a "clear field" is often tempted to expose this unauthorized lamp. As a trawler skipper explained to the writer, "You see, it gives us a clear road and a better scope for our operations; and the risk of being found out is, after all, very small."

Another favorite trick is to fish in forbidden waters, particularly when the waters are very shallow and strewn with reefs, and thus are inaccessible or dangerous to the bigger police boats.

The sea is no more exempt than the land from the activities of thieves; and to them the police have to keep a very keen watch. A favorite and easy form of stealing is to draw up nets—which stretch for a mile or more—at a distance from the trawler to which they belong, and appropriate the fish caught in them, or carry off the nets themselves and sell or claim salvage for them.

Not long ago a fishing smack arrived in port with a fleet of nets, which the skipper handed over to the Receiver of Wrecks, declaring that they had been picked up at sea, and making a salvage claim for their return. As little would have to pay, however, the theft had been witnessed from a police boat. Instead of their salvage money, the thieves were rewarded with a sentence of imprisonment.

The sea police, too, must keep a keen look-out for vessels that are not under proper control, and are thus a danger to other ships. Every year there are scores of cases in which vessels, through drifting helplessly, with drunken crews aboard, or the man who should be on watch fast asleep. When vessels in this danger-ous condition are discovered there is a heavy account to settle.

Not long ago the captain of a large smack carrying fish to Scotland was deserted by his crew; and in a foolish spirit of defiance, to show that he could dispense with their help, he started on the return voyage single-handed. He brought his boat safely back to Hull; but when the circumstances leaked out he very narrowly escaped a severe sentence for his foolhardiness.

Ocean tramps also give no little trouble to the sea-patols, for they have a dangerous trick of creeping through the darkness without lights, thus saving their oil at the risk of a collision. If they are discovered playing this game, which is quite common when some distance out at sea, the skipper has to pay a heavy price for his misguided economy.

But the most difficult task of the sea police is to detect smuggling, a work for which a secret detective force is engaged.

A Balfour Memory.

The duties of a Foreign Secretary are onerous, particularly after a great war which leaves foreign politics in a chaotic and tangled condition, but Mr. Balfour told Sir Hamar Greenwood the other day that he would not change positions with him.

Sir Hamar, as Chief Secretary for Ireland, is occupying the position which Mr. Balfour occupied over thirty years ago, and some of Mr. Balfour's memories are distinctly lively.

He relates one story with a touch of humor in it. One day he came upon an Irish woman digging up her patch of potatoes, and he made some remark concerning their quality.

"Ah, and luck to Mr. Balfour!" exclaimed the woman, "I wish I could see him!"

"I am Mr. Balfour," replied the statesman, smiling blandly.

The woman stopped digging, and gazed hard at him.

"Well, sure," she said, after the scrutiny, "haven't I often heard that the divil's not so black as he's painted!"

A Royal Film Star.

Seeing that eminent personages are now accustomed to have their public appearances filmed, have they learned how to comport themselves before the cinematograph camera?

The attractive personality of the Prince of Wales simply radiates from the screen. He has the right kind of smile, the right kind of confidence, and a certain ensemble of charm which suggests that he would make an excellent movie actor.

Mr. Lloyd George, with his innate good humor and the irrepressible twinkle in his eye, also makes a genial screen picture. Mr. Bonar Law is not quite so happy, and is given to buttoning his coat, straightening his tie, and adjusting his hat, as if afraid of doing himself justice.

Mr. Asquith's long hair photographs well, especially in a breeze, and his reflective look suggests that he is trying to see into the minds of the spectators, a trait which is also characteristic of Marshal Foch. Far-seeing men generally wear a far-seeing expression. Famous women rarely resist the temptation to stare right into the eye of the camera or to make a hurried toilet when the cinematographer approaches.

SHEREEF LAWRENCE.

The Romance of an Adventurous Englishman In the Orient.

Who are the great adventurers? One of them, the latest of them, is a certain Oxford archaeologist whom the great war washed up, digging in the mounds in the neighborhood of the Euphrates. A little man, of some five feet inches, and slight at that, who never expected to ride, is a British uniform, at the head of an Arab army, but rather to collect specimens for Egyptian museums, and to write papers in the Asiatic Journal. Oxford sent many of her children to the war, but here surely is the most remarkable of them.

Early in the eighties of the last century a Cambridge orientalist, Edward Palmer, was sent out to Egypt, by the British Government, to take a hand in controlling the Arabs along the Canal, during those days of war. Palmer was, perhaps, the most extraordinary linguist in the world we ever known. He picked up Romany, as a schoolboy, and taught himself Hindustani when he was in Bavarian. He would sit, for an evening or so, in an Italian restaurant in Soho, chatting with the waiters, and come away with a working knowledge of their language. He was, indeed, credited with a knowledge of twenty-seven languages and dialects. But Palmer differed from Thomas Lawrence in this, that he did not know men. Up at Wady Sudr, in the year 1882, he caused himself irritating to the Arabs with his claim to knowledge of their secret names. Now to the Arab that knowledge has only one ending. To preserve his own freedom the possessor of the knowledge must disappear. One day, Palmer and his whole party were assassinated, and the Arabs himself arrested, again.

Palmer's erudition was, perhaps, far in advance of that possessed by T. E. Lawrence, but not his influence over Bedouins. So, in any rate, a British general in the Near East concluded, for he sent the archaeologist into the Arabian peninsula to see what he could do with the Arabs. Some men remembering Gordon and Stewart might have wondered rather what the Arabs would do with him. What they did was to make him a Prince of Mecca, dress him in the white robes of his new dignity, and let him loose upon Syria with an army of some 200,000 Bedouins, as untrained as himself, and as undisciplined as themselves. And so the curious figure wandered rather than marched out of Arabia to the Jordan, to the amazement of the Germans, and the utter discomfiture of the Turks, until it brought the thirty-three inches of Shereef Lawrence, with much galloping of horses, and firing of guns, into the ancient city of Damascus, there to sit in the seat of the Governor, like Saladin before him.

It must have been a strange business, this of governing Damascus in the early days of the British occupation. There were great difficulties in providing for the population, and when representations were made to the Emir, Feisal, he, with the kindest intention of helping, shut the wretched fugitives up in the citadel, under an Arab guard, and stopped all their food, with a grin but quite cheerful intimation of all was to be expected. It required the utmost tact upon the part of the British to ease the situation and free the prisoners, and even then, apparently, the western point of view remained incomprehensible to the Emir. Such were the men, such were the conditions with which Col. Lawrence had to do, and so marvelous was his influence that not only were the tribes as clay in his hands, but they endowed him with something of that curious divinity with which the fakirs in Hazara invested John Nicholson, in eschewing every phase of Asiatic mysticism for the worship of Nikul-Seyn.

There is some quality presumably in the "island race," which wins for it this curious devotion. Gordon had it, Livingstone, Herbert Edwardes, and Burton, and Shereef Lawrence's two great namesakes, John Lawrence and Thomas Lawrence and John Lawrence of Lucknow, and many another. Herbert Edwardes enjoyed it in a very high degree, and there is a story told by him of the old Mutiny days on the northwest frontier which makes it quite clear that the Emir Feisal's views are not confined to Arabia. Once, in the very solstice of the struggle, when the levies, which would otherwise have been flocking to the green tents, were marching down to Delhi, to join the British forces, an old chief burst into Edwardes' presence, and flung his turban at his feet. "Verily," he shouted, "I believe that you are the author himself of Æsop's fables. See what you have done! If the frontiersmen kill the enemy—well; if the enemy kills them—better still! Now I know that you are the wisest man that was ever known!"

Nor are these men other than typical of a great legion, which has mungered in its ranks not a few famous women, from Hester Stanhope, who, inheriting the Pitt nose, inherited also the Pitt character, to Mary Durham, whom the Albanians would have made their queen.

Islands for Sale.

Almost any island sounds attractive, which probably accounts for the fact that many famous specimens have recently changed hands for quite large sums, irrespective of their actual worth.

Herm and Jethou, in the English Channel, are rented by Mr. Compton Mackenzie, the well-known novelist; the Shetland Isles with East and West Burray—the latter closely associated with Sir Walter Scott's novel, "The Pirate"—will also probably change hands shortly.

The Pembroke Islands of Skomer, Grassholm, Gateholm, and Midland are another collection which should not lack bidders, particularly among nature lovers. Besides their scenic beauty, they are the home of rare sea birds, rabbits, seals, and the elusive porpoise.

From Italy comes the news of yet another island purchase. An enterprising firm of cinema producers have bought Monte Cristo, immortalized by Dumas' novel, and propose using it for filming purposes.

Germans In Paris.

Germans to the number of 1,965 have succeeded in obtaining permission to live in Paris.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

"HYDRO" RESTS ON PAST PERFORMANCE

By J. E. Middleton

Ten years ago the public men who advocated the establishment of a co-operative municipal power system in Ontario were vigorously opposed. The statistical data which were put current with the professional opinions of engineers, endorsing the project, nor were they impressed by the experience of long-distance transmission elsewhere. They doubted the reasonableness of the estimates submitted to various municipal councils. They were sure that the bond financing and careful business administration were not possible under Public Ownership.

Time has shown that in every respect the critics were wrong. To-day electric power is delivered to Windsor, 200 miles from the Falls, at $36 per horse-power per annum. In a metropolitan steam-plant of the most modern and efficient type, generating a minimum of 100,000 h.p. six tons of coal are required to produce one horse-power of electric energy per annum. With coal at $12 a ton, the lowest possible cost of generating would be $72—double the Windsor price of Hydro-Electric power.

Over the Western Ontario peninsula is a great network of transmission lines, serving cities, towns, villages and townships with uniform, reliable, and constant electrical current at rates far below the best quotations of private Companies in pre-Hydro days. In practically every instance the local service is costing the people less than the estimate furnished by the engineers to the municipalities before they were included in the power-union. Clearly, no fault can be found either with the nature of the engineering and construction work, or with the size of the consumer's monthly bills for light and for industrial power.

Yet the revenue has been ample to provide for all operating expenses, with the fixed charges on the co-operative system for generating, transforming and transmitting, and on the investment for distributing in each municipality. It has covered annual charges for Reserve, Sinking Fund and Depreciation, and, so far as the Niagara System is concerned, has enabled the municipalities, considered jointly, to pile up a surplus of $2,217,497. At the end of 1919, the total Hydro-Electric system of 142 municipalities on the Niagara System were $26,125,526, the balance of liability was $17,143,063, and the reserves were $3,062,961.

The fear of loose administration or bungling or courting has not been justified by the event. The books of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, and of all the municipalities served by it, are under the most rigid supervision. A staff of highly-trained and enthusiastic accountants is found at the headoffice, and the auditing is constant and implacable. From the financial viewpoint, as well as from the engineering viewpoint, the Hydro-Electric System is copper-riveted and air-tight.

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TOOK A FOOL'S MONEY.

Extensive Swindling Scheme Discovered by Elgin Detective.

"I'll be back in a few moments," said Henry Gondie, cashier of the Bank of Liverpool, to one of his associates. "I'm just going across the street to get a cup of lunch."

An hour later the officials of the bang began to wonder where Goudie was, but the fact that his hat still remained upon its accustomed peg indicated that the cashier wasn't far away and that he would soon return. But the closing hour that afternoon Goudie was still missing — and when an auditor went over his books it was discovered that £175,000 had also disappeared.

Inquiry at the house where Goudie had lodged failed to bring to light any trace of the missing cashier who had left home that morning as usual, apparently without any intention of being away over night. His clothes were in their accustomed position and even his toilet articles were untouched. In fact, if it hadn't been for the disappearance of the money from the bank, the police would have searched the hospitals on the theory that Goudie had met with some unexpected accident.

But, as a Scotland Yard pointed out, it was hardly likely that a bank official and 0850,000 would vanish at one and the same time without some connection between the two events.

"As luck would have it," continued the detective, "Goudie has chosen the simplest manner in which to make his escape — he easiest from his point of view and the most difficult from the standpoint of the police. It is comparatively simple to find a man who lays his plans in advance. You can usually trace his baggage or his railway tickets. But Goudie just walked out to lunch and lost himself somewhere. He only left one clue behind him—his hat.

Once Bitten—Twice Shy.

Advertising may make a poor article sell for a while, but the most persistent advertising would not induce you to make a second purchase of a thing that turned out to be fraudulent, and the profit on the first sale would never pay for the advertising.

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Of Interest to Childless Women.

Toronto, Ontario.—"I suffered for a long time from a female weakness, inflammation, and a terrible backache caused by that condition. One day one of your booklets was left at my door, and I read how other women with troubles like mine had been made well, so I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a package of Sanative Wash, and it helped me wonderfully, and I now have the finest little baby boy that any mother could want. I want to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who has female troubles."—Mrs. JOSEPH LA BELLA, 773 Shaw Street, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

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In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong, and the good old fashioned root and herb remedy contains no narcotics or harmful drugs.

Therefore, working on the assumption that a hatless man would be quite conspicuous and that Goudie, knowing this, would immediately purchase another hat, the detective made the rounds of the shops near the Liverpool bank. From the clerk in one of them he obtained the information that a man answering to the description of the missing cashier had purchased a cloth cap of a distinctive pattern only a few moments after noon on the day that Goudie vanished.

By means of this clue and a detailed report on Goudie's appearance, Scotland Yard had every man searching for the absconding cashier. But it was several weeks before he was located and captured in a lodging house in the north of England.

However, the arrest of the man who looted the Bank of Liverpool did not by any means close the case.

For, before he was discovered, Scotland Yard had learned that Goudie had been in the habit of playing the races—patronizing a clique of "hand-book men," who had played upon his cupidity in such a manner that they, and not he, had secured the benefits of his dishonesty. In order to recover the money, the detective therefore had to round up the members of this gambling ring and force them to disgorge—a task which appeared almost impossible, owing to the ramifications of the plot.

It developed that the leader of the organization, sensing a way in which to make a lot more money than running any risk, had approached Goudie with an account of a "fixed race," which was to be run at Epsom Downs, and that the cashier, believing that he could clean up a fortune in a single day, had taken £25,000 from the bank, falsifying the accounts to conceal the theft. The man's credulity is evident from the fact that he placed this money at odds of 20 to 1, which meant that he stood to win half a million pounds, or $2,500,000, if his horse came in first. Of course, no bookmaker could afford to pay a bet of this size—but Goudie overlooked this fact and cheerfully wagered his "borrowed" capital. The horse naturally failed to win, and, in an effort to recoup his losses, the cashier commenced systematically to loot the bank's funds.

It didn't take the detective long to discover that, in planning a round-up of the gambling gang, he was tackling one of the most difficult jobs of his career. The tentacles of the organization reached even into the House of Parliament and the men behind the scenes were the shadows of evil who had been responsible for one of the greatest bank robberies in the history of Scotland Yard—were determined to spend thousands of pounds to save themselves from the consequences of their act.

One by one the detective picked up the loose threads of the tangled case. One by one he followed the various clues, at least, one of which led to the suicide of a member of the bookmakers' clique. But, in addition to seeing that Goudie was sent to prison for ten years, evidence was secured which forced the return of all but a small amount of the money which had been taken from the Bank of Liverpool and placed upon horses, which, save in a single instance, had no chance whatever to win.

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Notice to Public.

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Get a 1-lb. box at H. W. KELLY'S, he is selling them during Easter holidays for 50c. Fresh in.

Musical and Literary Club.

Owing to the date, March 31st, conflicting with the Masonic dance, the dates of "The Great Adventure" will be changed to April 1st, April 2nd, April 4th.

For Sale.

All kinds of secondhand Furniture, Military Boots and Clothing for men, women and children.

SEYMOUR LINDSAY,
Water Street, one block north of Light's Lumber Yard. 12-c-p

Worship in Green Groves.

Tree planting this spring should be regarded as a religious duty by every farmer of Ontario, says Farmers' Magazine. So many trees have been cut down this winter that our province will soon be a desert unless we replant.

Will Start a Ferry.

The township of Amherst Island is seriously considering the establishment of a ferry from the island to the mainland. The landing place of the ferry would be at Millhaven, provided the Dominion Government can be prevailed upon to furnish a landing place for the ferry and any other boats which might desire to make use of it.

Late M. La Pointe.

The funeral of the late C. Milton LaPointe, merchant tailor, who died at his home in Sarnia on Sunday last, was held from the family residence, 169 north Brock street, Tuesday afternoon, at two thirty, interment taking place at Lakeview Mausoleum. The funeral was private and nephews of the deceased acted as pall-bearers. Rev. J. J. Patterson, of St. Andrew's church, conducted the services. Deceased was a brother of Mrs. J. McMurrin, Napanee.

Stewart power Horse Clippers, Newmarket hand clippers. DAVY & ALLISON. 15-b

Referendum Election.

G. F. Ruttan, K.C., the Returning Officer for Lennox and Addington, has appointed J. M. Simpson, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, his election clerk. Mr. Ruttan, in pursuance of an order in council, will attend at the court room, in the Court House, Napanee, on Saturday, the 9th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of appointing persons to attend at the various polling stations and at the final summing up of the vote on behalf of persons interested in and promoting or opposing respectively the adoption of the prohibition to be voted on April 18th, 1921. 17-a

Two or More Things Every Farmer Should do.

If you have an auto top or buggy top needing repairs take it to the **M. B. MILLS CO.**, and get it done right away, NOW, before the spring rush. Also if you want CUSTOM HATCHING or BABY CHICKS place your order NOW, as our order book is filling fast. Eleven incubators in commission, five hatches off already. Bring us all your surplus hens and chicks any day and get top prices. And lastly remember that we are selling all kinds of PLOW SHARES AT A REDUCTION from last year's prices. Come to us for breeding cockerels.

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Sunday, 6.00—Sunrise prayer meeting.

Sunday, 10.30—Morning Worship.

Sunday, 11.45—Sunday School.

Sunday, 7.00—Evening worship.

Monday, 8.00—League meeting

HORSEMEN FORM CIRCUIT

All Towns Between Smith's Falls And Port Hope Are Included.

At a meeting of prominent horsemen from eastern Ontario, held in the Randolph hotel, Kingston, on Thursday evening, a racing circuit was formed that marks a great step forward in the racing game in this part of the province. The name chosen is "The Thousand Island Short Ship Circuit." The officers elected were: President, M. S. Grace, Kingston; Vice-president, W. Carney, Belleville ; Secretary, E. J. Metcalfe, Kingston ; Treasurer, George H. Veale, Kingston ; Executive committee, L. G. Madden, Belleville ; J. L. Boyes, Napanee ; W. J. B. Davidson, Port Hope ; F. I. Ritchie, Brockville ; A. W. Wright, Picton ; R. H. Soper, Smith's Falls, and the president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

The object of the circuit, which includes Kingston, Brockville, Belleville, Gananoque, Perth, Smith's Falls, Picton, Port Hope, Napanee and Peterboro, is to raise the standard of racing by securing greater uniformity by having a recognized central organization that will draw up a racing schedule and secure the attendance of the best horses at all meets where a uniform purse will be offered. The rules of the Canadian National Racing Association were unanimously adopted. The membership fee was fixed at fifteen dollars for each club. The plan adopted for all circuit races was the best three in five heats, races terminating at the end of the fifth heat unless otherwise stipulated. No class shall be slower than 2.30, but local clubs are given the privilege to put on older classes.

There was much discussion on the matter of suppression of time and the decision reached was that the practice was obnoxious and should not be permitted. To meet this and not drive good horses from the circuit, all horses are eligible for thirty days prior to acceptance of entry in any race. The entrance fee shall be five per cent. of the purse with no deductions from the winners. This is a distinct concession to horsemen and is calculated to encourage breeders and owners by reducing the expenses. Formerly there was a ten per cent. entry and a ten per cent. deduction. The minimum purse was fixed at $400 for each of the two classes per day, making $1,600 for a two days' meet. Entries must be made three days before the races in order that the secretary may be given time to classify horses and enter them in proper classes. The Canadian National Association rules will govern in the appointment of officials at all events and starters must be licensed starters.

The only racing dates definitely fixed at the meeting were : Picton, May 24 and 25th ; Belleville, June 2nd and 3rd ; Kingston, July 23rd, 25th and 26th ; Gananoque, August 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Brockville, Smith's Falls, Napanee and Port Hope all wanted July 1st, because of civic national celebrations already planned for on that date, and the executive committee will fix the dates for these places, or so arrange the classes to be raced as not to interfere and shut any horses out of their classes that might enter one or another of them.

Perth, Peterboro, Lindsay and Oshawa were not represented, but have signified their desire to be in this circuit, and it is likely that races will be held between June 3rd and July 1st as it is intended to complete the circuit before August 31st so that all horses will be free to enter the fall races.

The representatives present were : M. S. Grace, Mr. Eves, E. J. Metcalfe, Kingston ; W. Kingston ; I. W. Wood, Brockville ; R. Benson, L. J. Madden, Dr. Tennant, W. Carnew, Belleville ; S. A. Wellbanks, A. W. Wright, Picton ; H. B. Brownlee, A. L. Ferguson, C. H. Crozier, Smith's Falls ; J. L. Boyes, Napanee ; E. B. Lingham, W. J. B. Davidson, Port Hope. The members for Gananoque are Mayor Wilson, J. McCarney, J. Badore ; Perth, C. J. Foy.

The meeting was marked by the utmost unanimity. M. S. Grace presided and at the close Mr. Carnew moved a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Grace and the Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club for taking the initiative in bringing the horsemen together and congratulated them upon the success of the organization. The executive holding meetings every three months in different points of the circuit.—Whig.

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11.45—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7.00—Evening service.
Wednesday, 7.30—Midweek meeting for prayer and Bible study.

S. MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, M. A., Vicar.

Services of S. Mary Magdalene Church :

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—W. A. Annual.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.—Choir practice.

Good Friday, 12 to 3 p.m.—A three hours' service.

Good Friday, 7.30 p.m.—Lantern service.

EASTER DAY.

8.00—Holy Communion.
10.30—Shortened Mattins and Choral Eucharist.
12.15—Sunday School.
7.00—Evensong.

Stainer's Crucifixion

Trinity Church,

Thursday Evening

March 24th, '21

8 p.m.

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Farm Buildings Cheaper.

In paints, oils, turpentine, etc., one will see a decided drop, which should stimulate a big painting program on those farms where painting has been neglected for some time, says Mackenzie Hall in an article in last week's issue of Farmers' Magazine. Building hardware is also lower. Tar paper has advanced, but ready roofing material is stationary. But perhaps the brightest spot in the building program is the drop in galvanized siding, roofing and shingles. One year ago 28 gauge corrugated sheets were $12 as against $9.50 now, while galvanized metal shingles have fallen from $12.50 per thousand to $10.75.

Basketball.

On Monday last another doubleheader was pulled off. 3A ran up a 41-3 score against 1A and 3B beat Form II to a 19 all tie. There was not time to play off and the game was postponed. The janitor rang a bell for them to go out of the 'gym' and, of course, the league game wasn't stopped. He came down cellar where the players were changing and wanted to know why we didn't get out of the 'gym.' One of the boys said they wouldn't get out if he rang eighty bells, as a result the boys couldn't have the "gym" the next night and the league schedule goes "geflovey." The boys are looking forward to their game with Belleville High School on Thursday night and expect to score a victory over that fast B. H. S. team who have lost only one game this season. But when next week's paper comes to press they will have lost two games because we are going to win in Belleville. The standing after Monday's games was as follows :

Team	W	L	F	A	Games yet to play
II	3	0	135	64	2
U.S.	1	0	31	31	4
3A	2	2	103	78	1
3B	1	1	52	29	3
1B	1	2	56	62	2
1A	0	3	26	129	2

C. MAYBEE, Capt.

If you feel that you have the grippe coming on, don't wait, but get some capsules at Knight's. They knock it instantly.

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Pastor—Rev. S. J. Shorey, D. D.

Special Easter music and services. Special Sunday in the Sunday School as well as in the church.

The Crucifixion on Thursday evening, March 24th, by the choir, assisted by outside talent.

H. W. BORING, a well-to-do Kansas Farmer, says he has gained twenty pounds and is in better general health than he has been in years, since taking Tanlac.

"Since Tanlac has overcome my troubles I have gained twenty pounds in weight and am in better general health than for years past," was the straight-forward statement made a few days ago by H. W. Boring, a prominent and well-to-do farmer living at Overland Park, Kans.

"During the two years I suffered I tried everything I knew of to get relief, but nothing seemed to reach my case until I tried Tanlac. My appetite was poor and my digestion was so bad I could hardly retain my food. Nothing seemed to agree with me ; in fact, I was almost a confirmed dyspeptic. My whole system seemed to be out of shape. I would have pains across the small of my back so bad at times I could hardly move around.

"My nerves were all unstrung and I would become upset at the least little thing. I seldom slept well at night and finally, became so weak and run-down that I lost weight rapidly. I was also troubled a great deal with catarrh and of mornings had to spend a half hour or more clearing up my head.

"This is just the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac and it certainly has been a blessing to me. I just seemed to be made especially for my case. I improved from the first. My digestion now is perfect and regardless of what I eat I never suffer any bad after-effects.

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FRED WILSON,
Telephone 226.

SELBY.

A number attended the quilting at Mrs. J. Grange's on Tuesday.

A. C. Tummon attended County Council at Napanee last week.

G. Richmond has purchased J. Wood's house on Albert street.

F. L. Amey spent a few days in Kingston.

A number of youg people spent Saturday evening last at Mr. Price's.

Mr. and Mrs. McCutcheon and family attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Whiteman.

J. Gollinger and daughter spent a day recently with friends at Kingsford.

Miss K. Ginn, Newboro High School, spent a few days at F. L. Amey's.

Visitors : Mr. and Mrs. Bell at H. Abbott's ; Mr. McCracken at E. Doidge's ; Mr. and Mrs. G. Paul and children at R. Paul's ; Mrs. McKim at B. Denison's ; J. Gonu at home ; Mrs. G. McFarlane and baby at C. Arnold's ; Miss S. Lapum at J. Rose's.

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8-tf

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A full supply of fresh Garden Seeds in this week. See us before buying. St. Lawrence sugar, choice groceries, Teas and Coffee.

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Springtime means Kodak time. Let your boy or girl know the keen delight of making pictures of familiar things around the home. Kodaks and Brownies are sold in Napanee only at WALLACE'S.

Don't forget about your **Coffee.** When you want something extra try 1 lb. of **Kelly's Famous Coffee.** Ground fresh every day none can equal it one spoonful is equal to two spoons of any other kind. One trial will convince you. At H. W. KELLY'S grocery.

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MONDAY and TUESDAY

Special—Big double show, 14 reels. King Vidor's special, "THE FAMILY HONOR," in six reels.

And Eugene O'Brien in "BROADWAY AND HOME."

Also two reels of Smiling Bill Parsons comedy.

And a colored reel.

Admission Monday and Tuesday, 10c. and 20c.

8-tf

GEO. TUSTIN, Prop.

Take not Thy Holy Spirit from me, Ps. 51-11 ; The Lord shall be thy confidence, Prov. 3-26 ; O God, Thou are my God ; early will I seek Thee, Ps. 63-1 ; My God shall supply all your need, according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus, Phil. 4-19.

"O Jesus, I have promised, To serve Thee to the end ; Be Thou forever near me, My Master and my Friend. I shall not fear the battle If Thou art by my side, Nor wander from the pathway, If Thou will be my Guide."

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8 spools Mercer Crochet Thread 1.00
2 pr. Ladies' Union Underwear, reg. $1.50 each... 1.00

2 pr. Girls' Union Underwear, reg. $1.50 each..... 1.00
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Reg. 50c. pr., 3 pairs for 1.00
Children's Pure Wool Hose, reg. 75c. pr., 2 prs. for.. 1.00
reg. 50c. pr., 3 prs. for.. 1.00
Girls' Scarf and Toque, reg. $1.50 set, for..... 1.00
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EXECUTORS SALE,

Estate Ellen Gollinger, Deceased.

There will be sold by Public Auction, on Thursday, the 31st day of March, 1921, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., at the office of T. B. German, Barrister-at-Law, Napanee, Ont., the following lands: The north half of lot number seven (7) in the fifth concession of the Township of Camden, in the County of Lennox and Addington.

TERMS OF SALE—20 per cent. to be paid at the time of the sale and the balance within ten days thereafter. The purchase price to be paid to T. B. German, Solicitor for the Executors.

For further particulars apply to W. J. GOLLINGER, or CHRISTOPHER THOMPSON, Executors, or to T. B. GERMAN, Solicitor for Executors.

Dated March 3rd, 1921.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS:

In the matter of William Dorval Wilson.

Notice is hereby given that William Dorval Wilson, of the village of Yarker, in the township of Camden, in the county of Lennox and Addington, carrying on business as a grocer and general merchant at the said village of Yarker, has made an assignment under R.S.O. 1914, c. 134, of all his estate, credits and effects to George Douglas Hawley, sheriff of the County of Lennox and Addington, for the general benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of Pennington, Warner and Grange in the town of Napanee, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, 1921, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act, proved by affidavit, on or before the day of such meeting.

And notice is further given, that after the 23rd day of April, 1921, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, to any distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

G. D. HAWLEY, Sheriff,
Assignee.

Dated this 14th day of March, A. D., 1921. 16-b

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COUNTY COUNCIL

MARCH SESSION.

Council Chamber, Court House, Napanee, March 15th, 1921.

Council met in regular session at call of the Warden, on Tuesday afternoon. Warden S. J. Miller presiding.

The session was opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Rogers.

Mr. McVicar, of the Highways Department of Ontario, gave an interesting talk to the Council on road matters.

A hearty vote of thanks was unanimously tendered Mr. McVicar for his instructive address.

A free discussion of road matters followed, in which all the members plied Mr. McVicar with questions.

On motion each delegate to the recent Good Roads Convention, in Toronto was granted $35.00 expenses, same to be charged to County Roads expenditure.

Clerk Wilson read the report of the Mothers' Allowance Local Board.

The account of the Mothers' Allowance Commission, amounting to $81.00, February $98.50, total $179.50, was referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion Mr. John Kenny was added to the Finance Committee, in place of Mr. Loyst, who is ill, and will not be present at the session.

Council adjourned.

Wednesday Morning.

Account, Children's Aid Society, Belleville, $135.75, was referred to the Finance and Police Committees.

Following accounts were ordered paid:—Templeton & Son, gaol; $6.39; Hydro Electric Commission, $2.75; Bell Telephone Co., $3.05; H. R. Mallory, repairs to road, North Fredericksburgh, $3.00; Davis & Coates, Court House, $18.55; County Clerk, contingencies, $17.81; Templeton & Son $180.72; Everton Peters, wood, $52.00 A. E. Clancy, wood, $36.00.

The Clerk reported the receipt of $12.00 from Mr. Dowland, on account accident on road last summer.

Account, E. J. Pollard, $217.11, was referred to Education and Printing Committee.

Account, U. M. Wilson, County Crown Attorney, for rent and light, $84.45, was referred to the Finance Committee.

Account, House of Providence, for clothing for patients, $50.00, was referred to Finance Committee.

A receipt from the Highways Department, acknowledging receipt of County's road report, 1920, was read and filed.

The disposition of the proposed County bond issue was referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication and petition from County of Elgin, re County Road Superintendents, asking repeal of regulation requiring Road Superintendents to be Civil Engineers. The petition was ordered filled out, signed, and forwarded.

A communication from the Associated Boards of Trade in reference to appointing of lady assistants to the Ontario Department of Agriculture offices, and petition asking their appointment, was ordered filed.

A communication from the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, re purchase of Canadian made supplies, was ordered filed.

Mr. Roy Ferguson applied for a bonus of $100 for the Bay ferry. Referred to the Finance Committee.

A By-law of the Township of Amherst Island, to amend the Highway Act, authorizing any road overseer to apply to any owner for gravel and if an agreement cannot be made with owner of same, apply to the County Judge to fix the price of said gravel and enter upon any lands and take gravel therefrom.

Warden Miller presented each of the members of Council and Officials with a group photo of the Council.

Warden Miller left the chair, and Mr. Irish occupied it, and a resolution of thanks was tendered Mr. Miller for his kindness.

On motion Council adjourned.

Wednesday Afternoon.

Mr. T. J. Russell, whose house was destroyed by fire in January by being set on fire by a tramp, appeared before the Council, stating that as an officer of this County had been notified that a suspicious character was in the neighborhood and had taken no action, he therefore claimed damages from the County on account of the negligence of an officer of the County. He placed his loss at $800.00.

Mr. Sam Brien, H.C.C., was heard in defence, stating that the fire resulted through no in-action of the H. C. C., in that there was no criminal charge against the man who fired the house. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

A large deputation from Adolphustown, South Fredericksburgh and North Fredericksburgh Townships, appeared before the Council. A largely signed petition was presented, asking the Council to make a special grant of $25,000.00 to the Hamburgh Road, work to commence as soon as possible in the spring. The Council was addressed by Messrs. C. F. Allison, J. L. Smith, W. D. Roblin and T. Asselstine.

The speakers set forth the fact that as this road was surveyed last year, a start should be made on construction, and asked that the County grant the amount asked to grade, ditch and widen the road. The deputation pointed out that the repair work done on this road during the past two years was in most cases money thrown away, as the road is so flat that water lays on it all the time. The question was discussed for a time in open Council and then referred to the Roads and Bridges and Finance Committees.

The Education and Printing Committee reported, recommending payment of the account of E. J. Pollard. Motion adopted.

The following accounts were ordered paid:—Chas. Stevens, coal, $85.00; E. J. Corkill, postage, $12.10; D. B. Wilson, supplies, $1.50; Sam Brien, telephone account, $12.10.

The County Road Superintendent presented the report on the condition of the roads on County Roads, giving location, condition and repairs needed. Referred to Roads and Bridges Committee.

Mr. Anderson reported re inspection of Link's Mills bridge, Millhaven bridge and Floating Bay bridge, recommending that the steel work be erected on Link's Mills bridge, that the abutment on Millhaven bridge be repaired. Mr. McVicar reported, recommending two cement culverts and a rock fill between them to take the place of the present Floating Bay bridge.

A communication from Mr. James Skinner, Camden, in reference to cutting down a tree on the road, was referred to the County Road Superintendent.

Council adjourned.

Thursday Morning.

A delegation, representing the Lennox Agricultural Society, appeared before the Council, asking for a grant to the Society, with the object of making the Lennox County Fair the best County fair in the Province. Messrs. T. B. Wallace, President; J. L. Boyes, Secretary; J. W. Robinson, Treasurer; and F. H. Henderson, Director, addressed the Council, explaining the needs of the Society to the Council.

An application was received from the Napanee's Women's Institute, for the usual County grant. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Lennox and Addington Teachers' Association applied for their usual grant. Ordered paid.

The School Inspector's reports were referred to the Education and Printing Committee.

A letter from the Highways Department, re deviation from standard regulations for County Provincial Roads. Ordered filed.

A letter from Provincial authorities re Easter McCreary, an inmate of Rockwood Hospital, and report of H. C. C., re same, was read. Reports ordered filed.

On motion the Department of Highways was requested to approve of By-law No. 367, re Addington road.

A By-law to amend equalization of 1920 was adopted as the equalization for 1921.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported, recommending action be taken re purchase of roller and scarifier. Recommend that $92,000.00 be expended on roads in 1921. That the Road Superintendent's report be adopted, and that the bridges in need of renewal be visited by Roads and Bridges Committee.

Report of Roads and Bridges Committee was taken up clause by clause and adopted, with the amendment that the sum of about $72,000.00 to be expended on roads.

Thursday Afternoon.

The matter of a special grant to the Hamburgh Road and other County road matters, and special grants were freely discussed.

Council adjourned for an hour to allow the Roads and Bridges and Finance Committees to bring in a report concerning these matters. When Council resumed the report of the Roads and Bridges and Finance Committee was taken up, and after some discussion was ordered laid on the table until Friday morning.

Council adjourned.

Friday Morning.

An account of J. M. Graham, County property, $6.95, was ordered paid.

On motion Councillor Loyst was ordered paid his sessional indemnity.

The Finance Committee reported, recommending payment of $30.00 to County Crown Attorney, for rent of office; $75.00 to House of Providence, for clothing for inmates; payment of account of Children's Aid Society, Belleville; payment of account of Mothers' Allowance Board; recommended a grant of $100.00 to Hay Bay ferry, payable Nov. 1st, provided said ferry gives service to the satisfaction of the Reeves of North and South Fredericksburgh and Adolphustown; recommended that the bonds to be issued by the County be issued in $1000.00 denominations and that the County Clerk advertise the sale of the bonds in the local press; recommend that a grant of $15.00 be made to each Women's Institute in the County for 1921. Report adopted.

On motion the Council took no action on the claim of T. J. Russell for damages.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported, that all men employed on road work be paid by cheque on presentation of pay lists by Mr. Anderson; that special grants be made as follows for road purposes: Amherst Island $300, Napanee $600, Bath $300, Newburgh $800, Kaladar, Arlegiesea and Effingham $300, Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby $300; that the Roads and Bridges Committee and the Road Superintendent specify the type of road the County can afford to construct on Provincial County roads Nos. 54, 35 and 25, and the estimated cost, and submit to the Council, and that such proposition be submitted to the Highways Department for approval; that no action be taken in the matter of a special grant to the Hamburgh road; that Mr. Anderson be advanced $500, to make necessary payments on road work. Report adopted.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported, recommending that the County Provincial roads, known as Hamburgh road, Selby road and Camden road, total 80 miles, be constructed at a cost of $8000.00 per mile, provided the Department of Highways will allow the usual percentage of construction and maintainance though the road will be four feet narrower than the standard for such roads. The Committee also recommends that debentures be issued to pay for the same. That the Department of Highways be requested to send an engineer to report on the proposition.

On motion of Messrs. McDonald and Kimmerly, the report was ordered filed.

The yeas and nays were taken on the motion to file the report.

Yeas—Messrs. Hawley, Kimmerly, Hannah, Irish, Kenny, McDonald, Miller and Tummon—8.

Nays—Messrs. Alkenbrack, Johnston, Tummon, Boyes and Elliott.

Council adjourned.

Friday Afternoon.

Account, Registry Office, $122.59, was ordered paid.

On motion, a notice to vehicle owners that no vehicle be allowed to carry more than half its rated capacity on the roads of the County during the months of March and April, was ordered inserted in the local press.

A deputation from Camden Township Fair appeared before the Council, asking special aid to the Camden Fair. Messrs. Alf. Milligan, George McGill, T. E. McGill and Wm. Lochhead addressed the Council in reference to the grant asked for.

Mr. Kenny, for Odessa Fair, and Mr. Miller, for Amherst Island Fair, addressed the Council.

On motion the matter of grants to these fairs was referred to the Finance and Agricultural Committees.

Council adjourned for benefit of Committees.

Saturday Morning.

On motion a resolution, expressing the sympathy of the Council to Mr. Loyst in his impaired state of health, and hopig for his early restoration to health, was unanimously passed.

A resolution was passed, asking the Federal Government to establish a landing place at Millhaven, for a proposed ferry between Amherst Island and the main land.

The Reeves of Ernesttown and Camden were authorized to accompany the Warden to Ottawa, to lay the matter before the proper authorities.

A resolution, expressing dissatisfaction with the C. N. Ry. service from Napanee north, was passed, and a deputation from Newburgh, consisting of Reeve McNeilly and Mr. G. A. Aylesworth, were authorized to go to Ottawa and lay the complaint before the Minister of Railways.

An account of J. J. Haines, $30.00, was ordered paid.

On motion all pedlers will be required to take out licenses.

On motion the grants to Lennox Agricultural Society and Addington Agricultural Society, were increased $50.00 each.

On motion, the Township of Ernesttown was allowed an overdraft of $5000.00 toward building bridges.

Mayor Graham, of Napanee, appeared before the Council and assured the Council that By-law 396 and agreement between the County and the Town of Napanee, would not be availed of by the town.

Council adjourned.

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THE ROBINSON CO., SPRING OPENINGS

Gladdened by Spring Sunshine, Undaunted by the crowds of Women see the New Spring Styles at the Robinson Company Spring Openings on Friday and Saturday.

Again this progressive firm introduced to the ladies of Napanee and district the various new modes in wearing apparel and millinery in the most realistic way possible.

The entire store, from windows in front to third floor was specially decorated for this event. Hollyhocks, apple blossoms, delicate shades of pink and green bunting and floor lamps created a most pleasing atmosphere. The revue of fashions was given on the second floor.

Three mannequins imported from one of the largest cities of Canada paraded, wearing the lovely new Easter styles in dresses, suits, coats and wraps. Accordingly the artistically styled hats were worn with every costume.

Correct to the minute, in step with bright, inspiring music, the first mannequin stepped through the beautifully constructed archway, gowned in an exquisite taupe taffeta frock. The silk in this gown was imported from Switzerland and fashioned in one of the most exclusive dress houses in Canada.

Dresses with Canadian women are very, very popular. Dress manufacturers and designers have spared no efforts in creating their spring collections. For this season the ever alluring frock of taffeta holds first place. Many beautifully made dresses of this fabric were worn by the models. The styles exemplified the vogue of the long tight fitting basque, while some dresses were boned to get the proper lines. Many of these numbers favored overskirts, apron panels in the vogue of Bridal Costumes and sponsored the long, straight silhouette from shoulder to hem, with a wide girdle at the waistline. Heavy crepe-de-chene dresses were also an interesting feature of the revue of dress styles.

Immediately following the exhibition of dresses the mannequins portrayed the vogue as ordained by master minds in spring and summer suits. For this season the vogue is decidedly varied. My lady may choose a sport suit of Scotch Gabardine or Tricotine, a semi-tailored suit of these same materials, or a jaunty box back coat. In the matter of trimmings, much band-work is in evidence, dainty touches of contrasting or harmonizing embroidery silks are employed in artistic ways, which greatly adds to the richness of many a suit. Long shawl, Tuxedo, notched and high tailored collars are the better sellers we were told. Possibly the suit receiving the greatest applause was one of Navy Tricotine. The coat was semi-tailored in effect and the front and back sections were marked off in block design in shades of grey embroidery. A navy tight fitting hat with grey trimming and a grey veil created the finishing effect. A small grey squirrel choker was worn. Navy blue was the color predominating.

A considerable portion of each parade was given over to the showing of "Sports Wear." Separate skirts in the various box pleated styles were allied with sweaters in tie back, Peter Pan and Tuxedo styles. The soft, plain heather colorings blended in with the shades of the skirts most perfectly.

The showing of separate coats was made more interesting by the number of brightly colored wraps in evidence. These very graceful wraps are receiving much attention by discriminating dressers. They are usually seen in bright shades at Henna, Peacock, Parrot, Dawn, but quite occasionally Navy Blue was the color. The separate coats this season have a air of satisfaction about them and every purchaser can depend upon getting the worth of her money. The short, loose back sport coat is worthy of special mention. This popular style is good in all the used materials, Tricotine, Covert, Homespuns, Velours and Duvytens.

The revue of fashions lasted for two hours and each mannequin made numerous appearances each time wearing something different and each time a different hat. One could not help but notice that "color" is the most essential part pertaining to hats in this spring. It may droop, crush or tilt rakishly at unexpected angles from the face, yet it matters not as long as it is colorful. Such materials at Cellophane, Mohair, Caterpillar straw, Milan, Raffia are used in combinations to make the new spring hats. Flowers, fruits and ribbons are used in indescribable ways for trimmings. Colored veils are extremely popular for early spring. Banded sailors, smart of line, were worn with an outing suit or sports' skirt. Dashing shades of Henna, bright greens, vivid blues, Pheasant, Greys, Navys and Blacks were frequently worn.

On the second floor the carpet and drapery section is situated. A highly pleasing display of new curtain nets and draperies was the main feature of attraction. Aside from the beauty of materials used this display possessed an educational background as is illustrated in a true manner the correct ways to drape the various windows, which one finds in the average house. The most novel treatment was a roller blind made from French shadow cloth. This was mounted on a roller like an ordinary blind and was finished at the bottom with a chenille fringe. While this might not be practical for most houses, yet it is ideal for sun rooms.

On the main floor one came in closer contact with the materials employed for spring. Here were displays of the various materials in all their color and beauty. The various new lines of spring silks presented a most interesting and instructive study. Here color and quality played a most prominent part. Silks for your every requirement, be it a dress, a waist, a suit, a waist or for dainty lingerie, was obtainable in rich, exclusive shades.

The various displays of spring woollens came in for much favorable comment. The spring colors in Serges, Gabardines and Tricotines are indeed beautiful.

One table of dainty voiles depicted the coming summer modes in wash dresses, as far as materials are concerned. Dark grounds predominate, while satin stripes, figures, dots and scrolls are the designs featured.

The Wash Goods section was featuring an irresistible array of Ginghams of famous Scotch manufacture. Colorful creations artistically draped, added much to the harmony and beauty of this department.

Centre aisle on the ground floor is the store home of such articles as hosiery, gloves, laces, pencil and notions. On display were all those necessary accessorier so dear to the heart of every lover of fine raiment.

Openings and Easter time were the inspiring news items one gathered by stepping in the Men's Clothing and Furnishing departments of Napanee's premier store. New Easter wearing apparel for men and boys were displayed in neat orderly arrangements. Easter hats, gloves, neckwear were assembled with suits and top-coats.

This method of showing the new styles is very popular with the womenfolk in the sections as was evidenced by the large crowds which assembled at every revue and by the very enthusiastic applause given practically everp appearance.

The Robinson Company are to be congratulated upon this up-to-date minute method of advertising and are the only people outside of the larger Canadian cities, who have adopted this progressive method of introducing the new styles of the various seasons to their clientele.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

WILTON.

The many friends of Sperry Shibley will be pleased to hear that he is improving from a slight stroke of paralysis on Monday morning.

The members of the Mission Band of the Methodist church are practising for a concert, to be given in the Easter holidays.

The farmers have tapped their sugar bushes and report an abundant supply of sap.

Ivan Miller and bride, Hamilton, have returned to their home after spending a few days at the home of Eldridge Babcock and with friends in Switzerville, Napanee and other points.

Without a doubt the best value on Phonographs can be obtained at Knight's up-to-date Pharmacy, Napanee.

MOSCOW.

Mrs. J. Anderson was called to Seattle, Washington, last week, owing to the serious illness of her son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson, Yarker, with their son, U. Wilson.

Miss Eloise Darling is at H. Woodruff's, Colebrook.

Mrs. F. Cline and Gerald spent a few days with friends in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McGregor, Tamworth, at W. Close's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Toner and family, of Strathcona, at J. Fisher's.

B. Findlay, Strathcona, at J. Patterson's.

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Another Referendum

On October 20th, 1919, by a majority, nearly 400,000, the electors of Ontario voted against the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes.

BUT

The Province does not control importation. That is in the hands of the Dominion Government.

SO THAT

when the Dominion Government lifted the Order-in-Council which had banned importation during the war

TWO THINGS HAPPENED

(1) Ontario was flooded with liquor from other provinces.
(2) Distilleries in Ontario were able to send liquor to points within the Province on orders from other Provinces.

THEN FOLLOWED

Drunkenness—Rum Running—Boot-Legging.

NOW

The Dominion Government has promised that importation shall cease, if a majority of the electors devise it. That will stop No. 1

AUTOMATICALLY

By means of a Provincial measure No. 2 will stop.

THEREFORE

Put an **X** opposite the **YES** on your ballot and make Ontario bone dry.

YOU HAVE A VOTE IF:

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(2) Full age of 21 years, either male or female.
(3) Resident in Canada one year before Feb. 1sl, 1921.
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FASHIONABLE FOOTWEAR

See our new lines of OXFORDS and PUMPS at the

NEW LOW PRICES

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16408—"The Palms."—Macdonough.
"The Holy City."—Macdonough $1.00
74356—"The Holy City."—Evan Williams $2.00
74563—"Ave Marie."—(Violin) Jascha Heifety $2.00

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THE HOME OF GOOD FURNITURE

DUNDAS STREET.

The VALLEY of the GIANTS

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Author of "Cappy Ricks"

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Bryce sprinkled a modicum of salt in his soup. "I'm going up into Township nine to-morrow afternoon," he remarked casually. "I think I shall go over to your camp and pay the incomparable Jules a brief visit."

Again the Colonel assimilated the hint, but preferred to dissemble. "Oh, you can't steal him from me, Cardigan," he laughed. "I warn you in advance—so spare yourself the effort."

"I'll try anything once," Bryce retorted with equal good nature. "However, I don't want to steal him from you. I want to ascertain from him where he procured this burl."

"He wouldn't tell you."

"He might. I'm a persuasive little cuss when I choose to exert myself."

"Rondeau is not communicative. He requires lots of persuading."

"What delicious soup!" Bryce murmured blandly. "Miss Sumner, may I have a cracker?"

The dinner passed pleasantly; the challenge and defiance between guest and host had been so skillfully and gracefully exchanged that Shirley hadn't the slightest suspicion that these two well-groomed men had, under her very nose, as it were, agreed to be enemies and then, for the time being, turned their attention to other and more trifling matters. A sprightly three-cornered conversation continued for an hour. Then the Colonel, secretly enraged at the calm, mocking, contemplative glances which Bryce ever and anon bestowed upon him, and unable longer to convince himself that he was too apprehensive—that this cool young man knew nothing and would do nothing even if he knew something—rose, pleaded the necessity for looking over some papers, and bade Bryce good-night. Foolishly he proffered Bryce a limp hand; and a demon of devilry taking possession of the latter, he squeezed it with a simple, hearty earnestness, the while he said:

"Colonel Pennington, I hope I do not have to assure you that my visit here this evening has not only been delightful but—er—instructive. Good-night, sir, and pleasant dreams."

With difficulty the Colonel suppressed a groan. However, he was not the sort of man who suffers in silence; for a minute later the butler, leaning over the banisters as his master climbed the stairs to his library, heard the latter curse with an eloquence that was singularly appealing.

CHAPTER VII.

Colonel Seth Pennington looked up scourly as a clerk entered his private office. "Well?" he demanded brusquely, for when addressing his employees, the Colonel seldom bothered to assume his pontifical manner.

"Mr. Bryce Cardigan is waiting to see you, sir."

"Very well. Show him in."

Bryce entered. "Good morning, Colonel," he said pleasantly, and brazenly thrust out his hand.

"Not for me, my boy," the Colonel assured him. "I had enough of that last night. We'll just consider the hand-shaking all attended to, if you please. Have a chair; sit down and tell me what I can do to make you happy."

"I'm delighted to find you in such a generous frame of mind, Colonel. You can make me genuinely happy by renewing, for ten years on the same terms as the original contract, your arrangement to freight the logs of the Cardigan Redwood Lumber company from the woods to tidewater."

Colonel Pennington cleared his throat with a profiditory "Ahem-umm!" Then he removed his gold spectacles and carefully wiped them with a silk handkerchief, as carefully replaced them upon his aristocratic nose, and then gazed curiously at Bryce.

"My dear young friend! My very dear young friend! I must protest at being asked to discuss this matter. Your father and I have been over it in detail; we failed to agree, and that settles it."

"I did not expect you to agree to my request. I am not quite that optimistic," Bryce replied evenly. "I thought that possibly, if I reopened negotiations you might have a reasonable counter-proposition to suggest."

"I haven't thought of any."

"I suppose if I agreed to sell you that quarter-section of timber in the little valley over yonder" (he pointed to the east) "and the natural outlet for your Squaw creek timber, you'd quickly think of one," Bryce suggested pointedly.

"No, I am not in the market for that Valley of the Giants, as your idealistic father prefers to call it. The possession of that big timber is an advantage I expect to enjoy before I acquire many more gray hairs. But I do not expect to pay for it."

"Do you expect me to offer it to you as a bonus for renewing our hauling contract?"

The Colonel snapped his fingers. "By George," he declared, "that's a bright idea, and a few months ago I would have been inclined to consider it very seriously. But now——"

"You figure you've got us winging, eh?" Bryce was smiling pleasantly.

"I am making no admissions," Pennington responded enigmatically, "—nor any hauling contracts for my neighbor's logs," he added.

"I Will Not Renew Your Logging Contract."

"I suppose I'll have to abandon logging in Township nine and go back to the San Hedrin," Bryce sighed resignedly.

"If you do, you'll go broke. You can't afford it. You're on the verge of insolvency this minute."

"I suppose, since you decline to haul our logs, after the expiration of our present contract, and in view of the fact that we are not financially able to build our own logging railroad, that the wisest course my father and I could pursue would be to sell our timber in Township nine to you. It adjoins your holdings in the same township."

"I had a notion the situation would begin to dawn upon you." The Colonel was smiling now; his handsome face was gradually assuming the expression pontifical. "I'll give you a dollar a thousand feet stumpage for it."

"I'm afraid I can't accept that offer. We paid a dollar and a half for it, you know, and if we sold it to you at a dollar, the sale would not bring us sufficient money to take up our bonded indebtedness; we'd only have the San Hedrin timber and the Valley of the Giants left, and since we cannot log either of these at present, naturally we'd be out of business."

"That's the way I figured it, my boy."

"Well—we're not going out of business."

"Pardon me for disagreeing with you. I think you are."

"Not much! We can't afford it."

"My dear boy, my very dear young friend, listen to me. Your paternal ancestor is the only human being who has ever succeeded in making a perfect monkey of me. When I wanted to purchase from him a right of way through his absurd Valley of the Giants, in order that I might log my Squaw creek timber, he refused me. And to add insult to injury, he spouted a lot of rot about his big trees, how much they meant to him, and the utter artistic horror of running a logging-train through the grove—particularly since he planned to bequeath it to Sequoia as a public park.

"I will not renew your logging contract. That is final, young man. No man can ride me with spurs and get away with it."

"Oh, I knew that yesterday."

"Then why have you called on me today, taking up my time on a dead issue?"

"I wanted to give you one final chance to repent. I know your plan. You have it in your power to smash me. You can ruin me with your logging contract. That is final, young man. No man can ride me with spurs and get away with it."

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"I wanted to give you one final chance to repent. I know your plan. You have it in your power to smash the Cardigan Redwood Lumber company, acquire it at fifty per cent of its value and merge its assets with your Laguna Grande Lumber company. You are an ambitious man. You want to be the greatest redwood manufacturer in California, and in order to achieve your ambitions, you are willing to ruin a competitor; you decline to play the game like a thoroughbred."

"I play the game of business according to the rules of the game; I do nothing illegal, sir."

"And nothing generous or chivalrous. Colonel, you know your plea of a shortage of rolling-stock is that the contract for hauling our logs has been very profitable and will be more profitable in the future if you will accept a fifty-cent-per-thousand increase on the freight rate and renew the contract for ten years."

"Nothing doing, young man. Remember, you are not in a position to ask favors."

"Then I suppose we'll have to go down fighting?"

"I do not anticipate much of a fight."

"And I'll begin by running your woods-boss out of the country."

"Ah-h!"

"You know why, of course—those burl panels in your dining room. Rondeau felled a tree in our Valley of the Giants to get that burl for you, Colonel Pennington."

Pennington flushed. "I defy you to prove that," he almost shouted.

"Very well. I'll make Rondeau confess; perhaps he'll even tell me who sent him after the burl. Upon my word, I think you inspired that dastardly raid. At any rate, I know Rondeau is guilty, and you, as his employer and the beneficiary of his crime, must accept the odium."

The Colonel's face went white. "I do not admit anything except that you appear to have lost your head, young man. However, for the sake of argument: granting that Rondeau felled that tree, he did it under the apprehension that your Valley of the Giants is a part of my Squaw creek timber adjoining."

"I do not believe that. There was malice in the act—brutality, even; for my mother's grave identified the land as ours, and Rondeau felled the tree on her tombstone."

"If that is so, and Rondeau felled that tree—I do not believe he did—I am sincerely sorry, Cardigan. Name your price and I will pay you for the tree."

"You can't pay for that tree," Bryce burst forth. "No pitiful human being can pay in dollars and cents for the wanton destruction of God's handiwork. You wanted that burl, and when my father was blind and could no longer make his Sunday pilgrimage up to that grove, your woods-boss went up and stole that which you knew you could not buy."

"That will be about all from you, young man. Get out of my office. And, by the way, forget that you have met my niece."

"It's your office—so I'll get out. As for your second command"—he snapped his fingers in Pennington's face—"Foey!"

When Bryce had gone, the Colonel hurriedly called his logging-camp on the telephone and asked for Jules Rondeau, only to be informed by the timekeeper who answered the telephone, that Rondeau was up in the green timber with the choppers and could not be gotten to the telephone in less than two hours.

"Do not send for him, then," Pennington commanded. "I'm coming up on the eleven-fifteen train and will talk to him when he comes in for his lunch."

At eleven o'clock, and just as the Colonel was leaving to board the eleven-fifteen logging-train bound empty for the woods, Shirley Sumner made her appearance in his office.

"Uncle Seth," she complained, "I'm lonesome. The bookkeeper tells me you're going up to the logging-camp. May I go with you?"

"By all means. Usually I ride in the cab with the engineer and fireman; but if you're coming, I'll have them hook on the caboose. Step lively, my dear, or they'll be holding the train for us and upsetting our schedule."

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By virtue of their logging-contract with Pennington, the Cardigans and their employees were transported free over Pennington's logging railroad; hence, when Bryce Cardigan resolved to wait upon Jules Rondeau in the matter of that murdered Giant, it was characteristic of him to choose the shortest and most direct route to his quarry, and as the long string of empty logging-trucks came crawling out of the Laguna Grande Lumber company's log-dump, he swung over the side, quite ignorant of the fact that Shirley and her precious relative were riding in the little caboose in the rear.

At twelve-ten the train slid in on the log landing.

"Where's Rondeau?" Bryce asked.

The engineer pointed to a huge, swarthy man approaching across the clearing in which the camp was situated. "That's him," he replied. And without further ado, Bryce strode to meet his man.

"Are you Jules Rondeau?" he demanded as he came up to the woods-boss. The latter nodded. "I'm Bryce Cardigan," his interrogator announced, "and I'm here to thrash you for chopping that big redwood tree over in that little valley where my mother is buried."

"Oh!" Rondeau smiled. "Wiz pleasure, M'sieur." And without a moment's hesitation he rushed, Bryce backed away from him warily, and they circled.

"When I get through with you, Rondeau," Bryce said distinctly, "it'll take a good man to lead you to your meals. This country isn't big enough for both of us, and since you came here last, you've got to go first."

Bryce stepped in, feinted for Rondeau's jaw with his right, and when the woods-boss quickly recovered, rippled a sizzling left into the latter's midriff. Rondeau grunted and dropped his guard, with the result that Bryce's great fists played a devil's tattoo on his countenance before he could crouch and cover.

"This is a tough one," thought Bryce. His blows had not, apparently, had the slightest effect on the woods-boss. Crouched low and with his arms wrapped around his head, Rondeau still came on unfalteringly, and Bryce was forced to give way before him; to save his hands, he avoided the risk of battering Rondeau's hard head and sinewy arms.

Already word that the woods-boss was battling with a stranger had been shouted into the camp dining room, and the entire crew of that camp, abandoning their half-finished meal, came pouring forth to view the contest. Out of the tail of his eye Bryce saw them coming, but he was not apprehensive, for he knew the code of the woodsman: "Let every man roll his own hoop." It would be a fight to a finish, for no man would interfere; striking, kicking, gouging, biting, or choking would not be looked upon as unsportsmanlike; and as Bryce backed cautiously away from the huge, lithe, active, and powerful man before him, he realized that Jules Rondeau was, as his father had stated, "top dog among the lumberjacks."

Rondeau, it was apparent, had no stomach for Bryce's style of combat. He wanted a rough-and-tumble fight and kept rushing, hoping to clinch; if he could but get his great hands on Bryce, he would wrestle him down.

"Rondeau Will Take Care of Him Now."

climb him, and finish the fight in jig-time. But a rough-and-tumble was exactly what Bryce was striving to avoid; hence when Rondeau rushed, Bryce side-stepped and peppered the woodsman's ribs.

Suddenly two powerful hands were placed between Bryce's shoulders, effectually halting his backward progress; then he was propelled violently forward until he collided with Rondeau. With a bellow of triumph, the woods-boss's arms were around Bryce, swinging him until he faced the man who had forced him into that terrible grip. This was no less a personage than Colonel Seth Pennington, and it was obvious he had taken charge of what he considered the obsequies.

"Stand back, you men, and give them room," he shouted. "Rondeau will take care of him now. Stand back, I say. I'll discharge the man that interferes."

With a heave and a grunt Rondeau lifted his antagonist, the pair went crashing to the earth together, Bryce underneath. And then something happened. With a howl of pain, Rondeau rolled over on his back and lay clasping his left wrist in his right hand; while Bryce scrambled to his feet.

"The good old wrist-lock does the trick," he announced; and stooping, he grasped the woods-boss by the collar with his left hand, lifted him, and struck him a terrible blow in the face with his right. But for the arm that upheld him, Rondeau would have fallen. To have him fall, however, was not part of Bryce's plan. Jerking the fellow toward him, he passed his arm around Rondeau's neck, holding the latter's head as in a vise with the crook of his elbow. And then the battering started. When it was finished, Bryce let his man go, and Rondeau, bloody, sobbing, and semi-conscious, sprawled on the ground.

Bryce bent over him. "Now, damn you," he roared, "who felled that tree in Cardigan's redwoods?"

"I did, M'sieur. Enough—I confess!" The words were a whisper.

"Did Colonel Pennington suggest it to you?"

"He want ze burl. By gar, I do not want to fell zat tree——"

"That's all I want to know." Stooping, Bryce seized Rondeau by the nape of the neck and the slack of his overalls, lifted him shoulder-high and threw him, as one throws a sack of meal, full at Colonel Pennington.

"You threw me at him. Now I throw him at you. You damned, thieving, greedy, hypocritical scoundrel, if it weren't for your years and your gray hair, I'd kill you."

The helpless hulk of the woods-boss descended upon the Colonel's expansive chest and sent him crashing earthward. Then Bryce, war-mad, turned to face the ring of Laguna Grande employees about him.

"Next!" he roared. "Singly, in pairs, or the whole damned pack!"

"Mr. Cardigan!"

He turned. Colonel Pennington's breath had been knocked out of his body by the impact of his semi-conscious woods-boss, and he lay inert, gasping like a hooked fish. Beside him Shirley Sumner was kneeling, her hands clasping her uncle's, but with her violet eyes blazing fiercely on Bryce Cardigan.

"How dare you?" she cried. "You coward! To hurt my uncle!"

He gazed at her for a moment, fiercely, defiantly, his chest rising and falling from his recent exertions, his blotted fists gory with the blood of his enemy. Then the light of battle died, and he hung his head. "I'm sorry," he murmured, "not for his sake, but yours. I didn't know you were here. I forgot—myself."

"I'll never speak to you again so long as I live," she burst out passionately.

He advanced a step and stood gazing down upon her. Her angry glance met his unflinchingly; and presently for him the light went out of the world.

"Very well," he murmured. "Good-bye." And with bowed head he turned and made off through the green timber toward his own logging-camp five miles distant.

With the descent upon his breast of the limp body of his big woods-bully, Colonel Pennington had been struck to earth as effectually as if a fair-sized tree had fallen on him, the last whiff of breath had been driven from his lungs; and for the space of a minute, during which Jules Rondeau lay heavily across his midriff, the Colonel was quite unable to get it back. Pale, gasping, and furry from nose to suspenders, he was merely aware that something unexpected and disconcerting had occurred.

While the Colonel fought for his breath, his woodsmen remained in the rolling, paralyzed inactivity by reason of the swiftness and thoroughness of Bryce Cardigan's work; then Shirley motioned to them to remove the wreckage, and they hastened to obey.

Freed from the weight on the geometric center of his being, Colonel Pennington stretched his legs, rolled his head from side to side, and snorted violently several times like a buck. After the sixth snort he felt so much better that a clear understanding of the exact nature of the catastrophe came to him; he struggled and sat up, looking around him a little wildly.

"Where—did—Cardigan—go?" he gasped.

One of his men pointed to the timber into which the enemy had just disappeared.

"Surround him—take him," Pennington ordered. "I'll give—a month's pay—to each of—the six men that bring—that scoundrel to me. Get him quickly! Understand?"

Not a man moved. Pennington shook with fury. "Get him," he croaked. "There are enough of you to do—the job. Close in on him—everybody. I'll give a month's pay to—everybody."

A man of that indiscriminate mixture of Spaniard and Indian known in California as cholo swept the circle of men with an alert and knowing glance. His name was Flavio Artelan, but his straight black hair, dark russet complexion, beady eyes, and hawk nose gave him such a resemblance to a fowl that he was known among his fellows as the Black Minorca, regardless of the fact that this designation was scarcely fair to a very excellent breed of chicken. "That offer's good enough for me," he remarked in businesslike tones. "Come on—everybody. A month's pay for five minutes' work. I wouldn't tackle the job with six men, but there are twenty of us here."

"Hurry," the Colonel urged them.

Shirley Sumner's flashing glance rested upon the Black Minorca. "Don't you dare!" she cried. "Twenty to one! For shame!"

"For a month's pay," he replied impudently, and grinned evilly. "And I'm takin' orders from my boss." He started on a dog-trot for the timber, and a dozen men trailed after him.

Shirley turned helplessly on her uncle, seized his arm and shook it frantically. "Call them back! Call them back!" she pleaded.

Her uncle got uncertainly to his feet. "Not on your life!" he growled, and in his cold gray eyes there danced the lights of a thousand devils. "I told you the fellow was a ruffian. Now, perhaps, you'll believe me. We'll hold him until Rondeau revives, and then——"

Shirley guessed the rest, and she realized that it was useless to plead—that she was only wasting time. "Bryce! Bryce!" she called. "Run! They're after you. Twenty of them! Run, run—for my sake!"

His voice answered her from the timber: "Run? From those cattle? Not from man or devil." A silence. Then: "So you've changed your mind, have you? You've spoken to me again!" There was triumph, exultation in his voice. "The timber's too thick, Shirley. I couldn't get away anyhow—so I'm coming back."

She saw him burst through a thicket of alder saplings into the clearing, saw a half dozen of her uncle's men close in around him like wolves around a sick steer; and at the shock of their contact, she moaned and hid her face in her trembling hands.

Half man and half tiger that he was, the Black Minorca, as self-appointed leader, reached Bryce first. The cholo was a squat, powerful little man, with more bounce to him than a rubber ball; leading his men by a dozen yards, he hesitated not an instant but dodged under the blow Bryce lashed out at him and came up inside the latter's guard, feeling for Bryce's throat. Instead he met Bryce's knee in his abdomen, and forthwith he folded up like an accordion.

The next instant Bryce had stooped, caught him by the slack of the trousers and the scruff of the neck and thrown him, as he had thrown Rondeau, into the midst of the men advancing to his aid. Three of them went down backward; and Bryce, charging over them, stretched two more with well-placed blows from left to right, and continued on across the clearing, running at top speed, for he realized that for all the desperation of his fight and the losses already inflicted on his assailants, the odds against him were insurmountable.

Seeing him running away, the Laguna Grande woodsmen took heart and hope and pursued him. Straight for the loading donkey at the dog-landing Bryce ran. Beside the donkey stood a neat tier of firewood; in the chopping block, where the donkey-fireman had driven it prior to abandoning his post to view the contest between Bryce and Jules Rondeau, was a double-bitted axe. Bryce jerked it loose, swung it, whirled on his pursuers, and rushed them. Like turkeys scattering before the raid of a coyote they fled in divers directions and from a safe distance turned to gaze apprehensively upon this demon they had been ordered to bring in.

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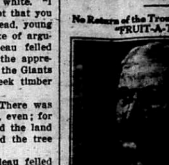

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Sweet peas should be planted just as early as possible. They delight in cool moist weather.

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TO ALL Whom It May Concern

THE Parliament of Canada has recently passed a bill regulating the taking of the vote on the Referendum in Ontario on April 18. The points to remember are as follows:

1. Every British subject by birth or naturalization, man or woman, resident in the Dominion of Canada one year previous to February 1, 1921, and resident in the *Province of Ontario* for two months previous to same date, is entitled to vote, unless otherwise disqualified.
2. Voters' Lists used in the last provincial referendum are the lists to be used in this Referendum, subject to revision. Every voter in an urban polling division must be on the list, and will presumably be on the list only in the division in which he resides.
3. In incorporated cities and towns of 1,000 population or over, arrangements will be made for receiving applications from any who are not now on the list on March 29 to April 4 inclusive—except Sunday—when for six clear days officers will sit to receive such applications.
4. In rural polling divisions the voter must be either on the list or be put upon it as a resident and be vouched for as such by another resident.
5. Both affirmative and negative sides have the right to select scrutineers.
6. Women have the right to vote.

VOTE—and vote—YES

Ontario Referendum Committee

PRUNING EXPERIMENTS

Three Different Treatments at the Vineland Station.

Winter Pruning, Summer Pruning and No Pruning—Light Annual Pruning is, on the Whole, the Most Desirable.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

AN experiment consisting of a comparative test of three different pruning treatments was started at Vineland in 1914. The three treatments were (a) winter or dormant pruning, (b) summer pruning, and (c) no pruning. The orchard under test consisted of about fifteen different varieties of apples. Although it is too early to look for conclusive results especially on the ultimate yields of the various systems of pruning, yet we have indications of what these results will be. Also we have data which positively shows the advantages of light pruning for the young orchard. Beyond this our results do not go as the orchard is still young.

The experiment, as originally outlined, specified the following for each kind of pruning:

Winter Pruning.—Trees to be severely cut back, thinned out in March or April, the object being to form a framework pleasing to the eye and which, at the same time would ultimately be capable of carrying a maximum load of fruit, i.e., to be pruned according to the plan commonly accepted method for young trees until bearing age. Fruit bearing was not to be taken into consideration for at least seven years.

Summer Pruning.—The trees under this treatment to be well thinned out in August when growth is ceasing and the maturing of wood commences. Terminal growths to be cut back only sufficient to keep the tree within bounds which usually involves only tipping back the main branches. The original objects of this type of pruning are to prevent early bearing about as much sunlight as possible and at the same time not sacrifice the natural size of the tree any more than necessary.

No Pruning.—Trees left to make natural growth with the exception of the removal of broken or dead or diseased limbs.

Following is a summary of results:

(1) The heavy dormant pruned trees have made much less growth as indicated by the diameter of the trunk and spread of branches than either the unpruned or summer pruned trees. Moreover, the summer pruned and unpruned trees have been bearing fruit since 1915, which would lessen their ability to make new growth. Their total gain over the heavily pruned trees is, therefore, greater than the actual measurements would indicate.

(2) The dormant pruned trees have been much later in coming into bearing, producing in 1915 only three pounds of fruit per block, as against 127.7 pounds for the summer pruned block, and 209.4 pounds for the unpruned block. With the season of 1919 and those intervening between 1915 and 1919, the ratio has been practically the same. Heavily dormant pruned trees have barely started to bear as yet, while the summer pruned and unpruned trees have increased in productiveness each season.

(3) The summer pruned trees (probably equivalent in effect to light dormant pruning) have made considerably more growth than the heavily pruned trees and have practically held their own with the unpruned trees except in the case of the Greening variety where the unpruned trees have out-distanced the summer pruned trees.

(4) Unpruned trees have made more growth than either of the other two systems, though very little more than the summer pruned trees. They are also continuing to outyield the other systems of pruning. These unpruned trees, however, as a whole are becoming very dense, increasing very materially the difficulty and cost of spraying, picking, etc. There are indications also that the fruit is falling off in color due to the dense growth.

From the above, therefore, it is evident that the lighter the pruning the greater the growth, the earlier the tree comes into bearing, and the heavier the yield during the early period of the tree's life at least. But although the unpruned trees have made the greatest gains in size the lightly summer pruned trees are very little, if any, behind, especially when the increased cost of spraying, picking, growing lack of color, and the general undesirable condition of the tree for future crops are considered. To reclaim such an unpruned orchard would necessarily retard its crops for a period and thus the earlier gains from no pruning would be lost.

Light annual pruning just sufficient to retain the proper shape of the tree to allow sunlight and air to get through and to keep out all cross and broken branches seems, therefore, to be the proper method to pursue for the young orchard until it comes into bearing. After bearing age is reached pruning will likely have to be done more severely to maintain a proper supply of new wood each year. What constitutes severity of pruning will of course vary with the variety.—E. F. Palmer, Director Vineland Horticultural Experiment Station.

THE MONGOLIAN RAM.

Story of Hunt For This Magnificent Animal.

We had toiled half way up the slope when my hunter sank into the grass, pointed upward, and whispered, "Panyang" (wild sheep). There, on the very summit of the highest pinnacle, stood a magnificent ram, silhouetted against the sky. It was a stage introduction to the finest single game animal in all the world, writes Roy Chapman Andrews in Harper's Magazine.

Motionless, as though sculptured from the living granite, it gazed across the valley toward the village whence we had come. Through my glasses I could see every detail of its splendid body—the wash of gray with which many winters had tinged its neck and flanks, the high wide curling horns, and the massive horns curling about a head as proudly held as that of a Roman warrior. He stood like a Barye statue for half an hour while we crouched motionless in the trail below; then he turned deliberately, and disappeared.

When we reached the summit of the ridge the ram was nowhere to be seen, but we found his tracks on a trail leading down a knife-like outcrop to the bottom of another valley. I felt sure that he would turn westward toward the grassy uplands, but Na-mon-gin, my Mongol hunter, pointed north to a sea of ragged mountains. We groaned as we looked at those towering peaks; moreover, it seemed hopeless to hunt for a single animal in that chaos of ravines and canons.

We had already learned, however, that the Mongol knew almost as much about what a sheep would do as did the animal itself. It was positively uncanny. Perhaps we would see a herd of sheep half a mile away. The old fellow would seat himself, nonchalantly fill his pipe, and puff contentedly, now and then glancing at the animals. In a few moments he would announce what they would do or about to happen, and he was seldom wrong.

Therefore, when he descended to the bottom of the valley, we accepted his decision without question. At the creek bed Harry and his young hunter left us to follow a ravine which led upward a little to the left, while Na-mon-gin and I climbed to the crest by way of a precipitous ridge.

Not fifteen minutes after we parted Harry's rifle banged three times in quick succession, the reports rolling out from the gorge in majestic waves of sound. A moment later the old Mongol saw three sheep silhouetted for a brief instant against the sky as they scrambled across the ridge. Then a voice floated up to me from out the canon.

"I've got a fine ram," it said, "a beauty—," and even at that distance I could hear its happy ring.

"Good for Harry," I thought, "he certainly deserved it after his work of last night," for on the way home his hunter had seen an enormous ram climbing a mountain side, and they had followed it to the summit, only to lose its trail in the gathering darkness. Harry had stumbled into camp half dead with fatigue, but with his enthusiasm undiminished.

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Like Docking, It is Now an Absolute Necessity.

These Operations Not Dangerous If Carefully Done—How to Do the Work—Both May Be Done at the Same Time.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

VERY substantial benefits arise from the early castration of lambs. First, they make more weight at an earlier age—castrated lambs are more quiet, and so make better gains. Second, they are more easily managed—both sexes may run together at all times without the danger that the females will be bred. Third, early castration results in the production of a better carcass, as it prevents undue development of the head, neck, and the front quarters. As stated before, buyers severely discount uncastrated lambs to an extent ranging from $2 to $5 per hundred pounds in comparison with castrated and docked lambs of the same age.

Castration is not dangerous if a little care is taken, and can be performed by any careful person who will follow three rules. Lambs should be castrated when they are from 7 to 14 days old. Choose a bright day; do not castrate lambs on a damp, chilly, or rainy day. Shut from the flock all lambs that are to be castrated and leave them off all that day and night without undue excitement. Be very careful that lambs before performing the operation. Provide a small pail of for them to stand in during the operation is performed. The operator's hands must be clean and the knife disinfected.

The lamb should be held against the body. Cut off sufficient of the lower end of the scrotum or bag, so as to permit good drainage. Then expose the testicles, and with the left hand force them out, holding them in this position by a firm grip of the first joints of the thumb and fingers, which are held close to the abdomen of the lamb. Next, grasp the testicles firmly between the thumb and fingers of the right hand, and draw them out with the adhering cords. The work should be done quickly but not roughly, and the testicles and adhering cords should be drawn out with a steady pull. The wound should then be washed with a good antiseptic, such as a weak carbolic solution, or a creolin or lysol preparation.

When lambs are older than three weeks before the operation is performed the cords should not be pulled out but scraped off with a knife back of the testicle. The scraping is done to prevent excessive bleeding.

Lambs should be kept quiet after they have been castrated. It is best to perform the operation in the evening, so that they can be watched during the day and attention given any that become too weak from loss of blood.

Lambs can be docked at the same time that they are castrated. When this procedure is used both operations can be performed at the same time and labor saved, as the lambs will have to be caught only once. It should be a uniform practice to dock when the lambs are from 7 to 14 days old.

The lamb's tail renders no substantial benefit to the animal. Its presence is injurious because of the filth that accumulates around and beneath it. Moreover, lambs are more attractive when the tail is long and deeper at the leg and twist if the tail is docked. When the tails are left on females they are apt to fail to breed.

The two preferable ways of removing a lamb's tail are by using a sharp knife or the docking irons. One man holds the lamb while the other performs the operation.

When docking with the knife the operator, by feeling on the inside of the tail, first locates the joint to cut, which is about 1½ inches from the body. He should then push the skin on the tail back towards the body of the lamb so as to leave some surplus skin to grow over the stub. The cut should be made quickly with a sharp knife. If any lamb is severely bleed too much a piece of cord may be tied very tightly on the stub of the tail close to the body, to stop the bleeding, but the cord must not be moved in a few hours or the tail will slough off.

When hot pincers or docking irons are used, no danger need be feared from loss of blood. Old sheep can be docked successfully in this way. The pincers should be heated to a dull red heat, not hotter, and the tail seared off at from 1 to 1½ inches from the body. The wound will be seared over and no blood lost. When the irons are used at proper temperature the wound will heal satisfactorily and practically as quickly as when the knife is used. The wound is also sterilized and needs no further attention. When the lambs are in a pen near at hand, it takes one man to catch them and another to hold them, from 9 to 12 lambs can be caught and docked in any lamb pen in a few minutes. The lambs should be watched for a few days to see that they are recovering from the operations satisfactorily.—Adapted from U. S. Farmers' Bulletin No. 1134.

The Land Doctor.

An army officer is the pioneer of a profession new to Great Britain—that of "land doctor."

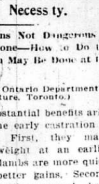
Under comparatively modest fee he will visit a farm and find out whether the land is yielding its maximum, and, if not, why not. He will see growing the wrong crops or wasting money or useless fertilizers. He will discover the secret of failure.

The new land doctor is Major Evelyn Hogg, who was agricultural officer to the Fourth Army in France. He has been connected with agriculture all his life, and was formerly manager of the Marquess of Bute's farms.

"My reason for establishing an agricultural advice bureau," said Major Hogg, in an interview, "is that during the present period of reconstruction, with its difficulties in regard to foreign exchanges, the matter of home-grown food is of paramount importance. Agriculture must remain our greatest industry. Thousands of acres of food producing land in the United Kingdom are lying fallow because of want of advice. And this state of affairs I have made up my mind to help to rectify."

"I Feel as Tho' I Could Not Drag Thru the Day's Work"

Is the complaint of many a woman in the household, office or factory.



After suffering pain, feeling nervous, dizzy, weak and dragged down by weaknesses of her sex—with eyes sunken, black circles and pale cheeks—such a woman is quickly restored to health by the Favorite Prescription of Dr. Pierce. Changed, too, in looks, for after taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the skin becomes clear, the eyes brighter, the cheeks plump. It is purely vegetable and contains no alcohol.

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BARRIE, ONTARIO.—" I was suffering from a run-down system some time ago, was unfit to perform my daily duties, and was advised to try Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I tried it, took two bottles, and was restored to my natural strength. I cannot praise Doctor Pierce's medicines too highly, and will be willing to write to anyone sending a stamped envelope."—MRS. A. H. BISHOP, R. R. No. 1.

BETTER BULL CAMPAIGN

Strong Plea in Simple Words for Better Sires.

Lesson From the Case of the Kopas Steer—How a Boy Made Maple Sugar—Garden Chit-Chat.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

DO you ever read the market reports? If you do you will see all too frequently comments like the following: "Trade was slow and dragging; choice offerings scarce; large number of inferior cattle hard to move at any price."

Have you ever personally inspected the live stock at the Toronto Stock Yards? It may seem almost unreasonable to say, but really the good kind is all too hard to find.

The reason for poor live stock is very apparent to everyone who visits the country occasionally, and looks over the average herds of cattle that are being kept.

Small, undersized cows are very common, and, of course, there's the light-weight bull of (usually) doubtful parentage. Plainly speaking an absolute cull.

"Nuff sed." We don't have to go much deeper into the subject to understand where all the poor stock comes from.

However, we will grant this, that good feeding and care will do a great deal, but you can't get economical gains from poor, badly-bred stock, no matter what feed you put into him.

The Kopas steer which was so admired at the Winter Fair at Guelph recently was from a very ordinary cow, but sired by a real bull. I am sure Mr. Kopas would never have won the championship if he had used a scrub bull.

Just remember this: The offspring is not going to be any better than the sire. If you use a mongrel, a grade bull, that's narrow, upstanding, and meat-hearted, don't expect to top the market with his steer calves. Use them for fertilizer or chicken scrap.

On the other hand, if you use a low-down, blocky, purebred bull, with plenty of heart, good spring of rib and width of loin, full in the twist and carrying a good quarter, you can expect calves of a similar type.

It seems to me that a farmer would take a great deal of pleasure out of watching the improvement in his live stock each year. The knowledge that he was being well repaid for his feed and labor would be a great source of satisfaction.

Better bulls will have to be used all over Ontario if the farmer is going to take lower prices and still make a living.

The sooner this is understood the better. Quality counts when you come to sell anything and it sure does count in marketing live stock.

There never was a better time to "scrap" your grade bull and buy a pure bred. The supply is fairly large and prices are not high enough to hinder the average farmer.

We all know that the grade or scrub bull is "sure." He is "sure" to sire calves that will be "sure" to eat terribly—and that's "sure" to sell for the lowest market price, "sure" to lose the farmer money, and in the end "sure" to bankrupt the man who continues to use him.—C. F. MacKenzie, Field Manager, Live Stock Branch.

A Superfluous Nib.

In his early days Sir W. S. Gilbert served in a Government office under a chief with whom no fault could be found on the score of economy. "Candle-ends and cheese-parings" was his maxim, and he used to dole out stationery in strictly "rationed" allowances to the clerks.

Sir Gilbert bowed twelve nibs per month, but on one occasion miscounted and gave him thirteen. Gilbert at once went back.

"Regarding my allowance of nibs, sir—," he began.

"Why, what of it? Twelve nibs per month is enough for any clerk," declared his chief.

"I have no wish to question your wisdom," responded Gilbert, sweetly, "I merely wish to report that I have received thirteen nibs, and have hastened to you with the superfluous one in order that it may be returned into stock."

Forty-two daily newspapers are published in London.

COAT WITH CAPE OVER THE BACK

Garment Gives the Wearer Much Younger and Less Staid Appearance.

MANY LONG WINTER JACKETS

Three-Piece Suits Afford Separate Wrap—Popular Model Shows Three-Quarter Length Semi-Blousing Effect.

There is much to be said for coats with cape backs other than that they are exceedingly fashionable, observes a prominent fashion correspondent. They have the grace of a cape without any of its impractical features. There is the comfort of a good, substantial long coat combined with the artistic outline of the flowing cloak.

That the cape is never really absent from fashions proves that it must have some great staying power. There is some reason for women's always wanting it—for it is always finding a ready acceptance. What can this reason be other than its feminine grace? We may prate at length upon the practical in dress, but the practical minus beauty and artistic appeal never finds real favor.

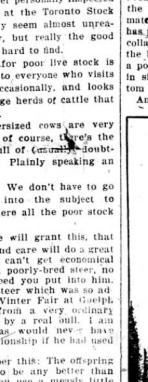
The cape has considerable romantic and historical background. This probably bears a subconscious influence in its favor. Coming down to the purely practical, a coat is made much warmer by a cape falling over the back, but I cannot say that this has anything to do with its hold on fashions.

It can be claimed, however, that its youthfulness does much for it. Certainly a coat of this type gives its wearer a much younger and less staid appearance than the old-fashioned practical topcoat, which put the finishing touches in more ways than one on a perfectly good-looking costume, for, no matter how smart one's dress and hat might be, the effect was lost through the addition of a prosy looking coat.

Where Parisienne and American Agree

It may safely be said that the cape coat is one of this winter's greatest successes. It is much favored by both the Parisienne and the American. A most interesting cape from Premat is gray velours de laine, and the lining, which is satin, exactly matches the cloth in color. This coat has practically two capes, as the large collar forms a short shoulder cape at the back. The large cape extends in a point at the back. It falls to within six or eight inches from the bottom of the coat.

Another model shows the short cape



Navy Blue Velours de Laine Coat Trimmed With Bands of Royal Blue Velvet.

which Jenny hangs from the top of high muffling collars of fur attached to suit jackets. In this instance the cape is of blue serge, while the collar is of seal. This cape covers the back only. It does not extend over the shoulders, as many do.

A coat from Lanvin features the long cape back which is almost the entire length of the coat. A soft shade of gray duvetyn was chosen for this model. There are trimming bands of green applique embroidery down both sides of the front, also deep bands of the embroidery on the full sleeve.

Cape Back Effects Feature Suit.

The plaited cape back, almost in the form of a panel, is novel but not likely to find the favor that the plain cape backs have. Some of the best French makers feature the cape back of fur, not only on long coats but on short box coats, making these cape backs the same length as the coat itself.

The cape back effect on suits is also a noted feature. One very attractive model of blue serge has a high moleskin collar from the back of which hangs a cape reaching to just below the waistline, while the actual jacket, of box cut, falls straight to the hipline and is embroidered around the hem with gold and royal blue threads. The coat fastens with two buttons just below the high fur collar, and again with two buttons at the bottom.

Another interesting model is of tobacco brown duvetyn, with the cape

Showing Black Duvetyn Coat Embroidered in Jade Green and Jet Paillettes.

back cut in one with the sleeves. This cape is edged with a two-inch band of applique embroidery, the embroidery again appearing down the sides of the coat itself.

Heritage of the Middle Ages.

A second type of topcoat is that in which the moyen-age effect is carried out. These are of long, straight cut, sometimes with a bodice part hanging straight to just above the knees.

This very long-waisted effect, with the upper part of the garment hanging straight, appears to be one of the essential features of this winter's clothes. It has not been carried out, however, in such a marked way in coats, as the means of embodying it in a coat presented considerable difficulty. It was thought at first that what was suitable for a dress was not always adaptable in a coat. Now that coats have become so close akin to frocks, the characteristics of one belong quite as much to the other.

One French coat shows a full flounce gathered to the upper portion at this point, thus forming the lower part of the coat. The flounce is cut at intervals in fishbone shape to show velvet underneath, the coat itself being of cloth.

The long coats shown by Jenny are of straight cut and in most instances have the belt, or semblance of a belt, placed at a low waistline.

This model is developed in navy blue velours de laine trimmed with bands of royal velvet down the right side to the edge of the coat, forming the belt, deep cuffs and high muffling collar. The ornament and tassel, used on one side of the coat only, are of royal blue silk.

Paillettes Grow In Favor.

The other coat inspired by the dress of the middle ages, is developed in black duvetyn, which makes a very smart topcoat. It is embroidered in jade green and jet paillettes. The use of paillettes this season is most pronounced, this form of trimming having featured to a large majority of the leading dressmakers. Preference is given to black paillettes, jet bugles and jet beads, but colors, too, are often features, such as royal blue, dark green, brown and white.

Evening wraps are very lovely. Many of them are in cape form and are made of brilliant colored velvets, fur trimmed. These capes are straight cut and wear the figure closely, there being very little fullness. There are a few capes cut to follow closely the lines of the figure. This sort of cape clips the shoulders like a coat and hangs pretty straight with no fullness whatever.

A large number of three-piece suits have long coats that might almost be worn as a separate wrap. Indeed, so many of the new three-piece suits are long that it seems hardly worth while to call attention to their increased length. One of the very popular models shows a three-quarter length semi-blousing jacket. The suit is developed in navy blue duvetyn with peasant embroideries in red and brown with touches of fur.

Search For a New Drug.

A party of American scientists will explore about 1,000 miles of the Amazon basin this year, in search of new drugs and narcotics. Dr. H. H. Rusby, dean of the Columbia School of Pharmacy, is to be the leader of the party, and one of the members will be Dr. David Starr Jordan, of Leland Stanford Junior University, who will study fishes and reptiles. Dr. Rusby has already made four trips to South America. The 1,000 mile tract along Eastern Ecuador and Peru, is one Dr. Rusby says from which no specimens of any kind have ever been procured.

Has Two Capitals.

When South Africa became federated, ten years ago, a controversy as to the capital city was settled by one of the most curious compromises in history. Pretoria became the administrative and Cape Town the legislative center. So United South Africa has two capitals, which are about 1,000 miles apart.

Pigsty Became Library.

Thirty years ago the men of Hartshay, a hamlet of Derbyshire, England, were accustomed to meet at a bridge, on the edge of the town, where they would read the papers and discuss events. This was all right in summer time, but in the winter it was different and they would occasionally adjourn to a sheltered spot under the bridge. From this they moved into a vacated pigsty, and—later annexed another pigsty. This rude building was improved by their own efforts until it was a fairly comfortable place. From this humble origin there is now a rather pretentious library, with the best papers and magazines and a stock of good books.

"Cascarets" for Constipation

Just think! A pleasant, harmless Cascaret works while you sleep and has your liver active, head clear, stomach sweet and bowels moving as regular as a clock by morning. No griping or inconvenience. 10, 25 or 50 cent boxes. Children love this candy cathartic too.

FILET-IRISH AND CUT WORK

To fit the fashionable neck line stores are showing this exquisite collar of Filet-Irish and cutwork embroidery that fastens, oddly enough, at the back.

STOCKINGS TO MATCH SHOES

Knitted Hosiery of Heavy Silk Much in Demand for Wear With Sports Clothes.

Stockings this year are being worn to match the shoes or the dress, but more frequently the shoes. The taupe color which was worn so much in Paris last season has not attained the same popularity here, and today the popular fancy is either for black or for brown, fawn, gray or tete de negre. Of these negre is undoubtedly the most popular.

With sports clothes knitted stockings of heavy silk are much in demand, and these are invariably ribbed. Cashmere hose in heather mixture in the one-and-one rib are much liked, but the brightly colored fleecy hose are only a passing craze in some quarters and will certainly not be universally adopted.

That sports shoes this coming spring will match in color the sweaters worn with them is a prediction recently made by some of the leading shoe houses, but there are occasions of course for which they cannot be worn.

Among the afternoon slippers one notices a great many bronze ones, either strapped or with colonial tongues, finished off with ribbon bows or beaded bronze buckles.

SUITS FOR WEAR IN COUNTRY

Homespuns and Tweeds in Attractive Colorings Make Good-Looking Outfits for General Use.

Homespuns and tweeds in the loveliest of colorings make some extremely good-looking suits for winter sports or just general country wear. They will give a warm dash of color to the landscape on days when the ground is covered with snow and the air is chilly. The knickerbocker suit has evidently come to stay. It grows in popularity continually. All the warm red shades and beautiful rose hues are seen in these knickerbocker costumes—quite a departure from the tans and browns of the old-fashioned, substantial-looking tweeds. The homespuns usually are made of the checked material, while the coat is of plain color. There may be a hat and scarf to match the jacket.

CREPE DE CHINE IS LIKED

Fabric Retains Prominence in Frocks Most of Which Have Plaitings in Grand Array.

It is not easy to find a frock that is not built of crepe de chine. Even at night crepe predominates. All these frocks have plaitings used in a bewildering mixture of lines and scallops. You can distinguish the American from the French woman by the tying of the slender girdle. The former lets it slip carelessly down over the figure to preserve the straight line; the latter gives it a smart pull in at the waist, quite plainly defining it.

If the crepe de chine is not black, which it is eight times out of ten, it is white, yellow or mauve. The presence of the queen of Roumania in Paris at the presentation of her play, "The Lily of Life," and her constant wearing of white and mauve started all Paris toward both colors.

Oriental Colors in Negligees.

Fashion permits every woman to be a vamp ish "Serpent of the Nile" in the privacy of her own boudoir. The favored robes are of dark-hued brocaded satins encrusted with stenciled flowers of garish hue. Black brocades embroidered in huge gold roses or lotus lilies are very il faut. Trinkets of hammered bronze or copper dingle from girdle and sleeves. Opulence gleams in every fold of these new boudoir robes. Velvet batiks cut a la mandarin come in rich hues of rose and purple, green or orange. Jeweled girdles of roughly cut stones are found on doors. Bands of priceless ermine or mink garnish others and even the most ordinary negligees are dressed up with trimmings of colored brushed wool or rich bandings.

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Plain Talks - No. 4

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And one that will stand any test;
To the Hospital bring your old footwear,
For our work is all of the best.
We do work for rich or for poor,
And favors to no man we give;
But we satisfy one like another,
Our motto is "Live and let live."
Our leather is good and prices right,
And we'll treat you as a friend;
For we need you, as you need us,
And we are here your (soles) to mend.
Dear People:

Again we take pleasure in having a little chat with you. In the first place we wish to thank you for past favors for we are certainly making new friends and sticking to the old ones. We must tell you the secret of our success is unequalled, as also is our material. We keep good leather and good leather keeps us. Hand sewn work is our specialty and we never neglect to supervise all jobs and advise you as to what is the proper way they should be fixed for we have had years of practical experience and on any subjects pertaining to footwear, we can and will give you our advice freely. We also sharpen skates and keep a good supply of skate straps. Try us for the best brand of shoepacks in town, also for Polishes, Laces and Insoles. We buy and sell second hand boots.

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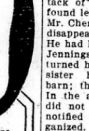

are signs of a weakened transverse arch. One or more of the little bones across the ball of the foot are displaced, causing uneven pressure. The sole of the foot turns; great and little toe joints enlarge and a crampike pain known as Morton's Toe develops.

This condition, as well as corns, buniona, broken down arches, weak ankles and all forms of foot trouble is quickly relieved and the cause permanently corrected by the use of

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Cross Cut Saws and Axes at DAVY & ALLISON'S.

Prince Edward county will spend $90,000 on county roads this season.

Go to Mrs. Holmes, Adelphi street, for dressmaking. Children's clothes a specialty. 16-b

Plenty of fresh fish, White fish, Salmon, Pickerel, Halibut and Oysters at FRANK H. PERRY'S. 13-a

St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Kingston, visited Union Lodge, Napanee, on Friday evening last and conferred the third degree.

If you require real Horse Powders, go to Knight's. They are made on the premises from an Old Country recipe. 13-c

Navigation at Kingston was opened on Thursday last when the steamer Wolfe Islander made her first trip to the Island and back.

Provision for five-cent nickel coins in Canada is made in a proposed resolution, of which notice has been given in the house by Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance.

Mrs. Homan, an inmate of the House of Refuge, Kingston, died on Wednesday. She was formerly from Ernestown. Her husband and daughter live at Grandview, Man.

The artists who were here for the Ladies' Musical Concert last week, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Herrington, Mrs. Geo. Gibbard and Dr. and Mrs. Cameron Wilson.

Mrs. R. A. Beard received word last week that her eldest son, Elijah Cameron, had passed away in Winnipeg, Man., hospital. The body is being brought to Alliston Ont., for burial.

FOR PLANTS go to H. W. KELLY'S, he has a large assortment of potted plants in bloom. Also all sizes and varieties of Ferns, in small pots and medium size and large Boston sword for Easter gifts.

Peter Post, a former well-known resident of Napanee, who has been living with his son at Smithfield, died on Friday last. Mr. Post was an employee of the corporation on the streets for a long number of years.

The house of commons, with the consent of the government, decided that the German reparations bill providing for a levy of fifty per cent. on the purchase of imported German goods shall not come into effect until March 31st.

A cow belonging to Mr. James McVicker, of the American Hotel, Deseronto, gave birth to a two-headed calf one day last week. The freak was dead when born. Many people call eo see this strange creature with two heads and one body.

"God bless our soldier and sailor boys and keep them in the hollow of Thy hand." Amen. Send this to seven people, one each day for seven days and some great joy will come to you. All who pass it by will meet with some misfortune.

The death took place at Rochester, N.Y., on March 10th, of Mrs. Edward Oliver, formerly of Deseronto. Deceased was Miss Jessie Whitton prior to her marriage. She was the third daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Whitton. One sister, Mrs. S. Wilson, resides in Kingston.

Messrs. Ross H. Paul and Ernest F. Smith have purchased the automobile business from Mr. W. J. Normile, and have taken over the Ford Agency for cars, trucks and tractors. Mr. Paul is a new man at the business, but will, no doubt, prove a welcome member of the business men of Napanee. Mr. Smith is well known as a first class repair man and with the repair shop under his management, patrons will be assured of good workmanship and fair dealing.

Many congratulations were extended to Mr. Peter Brant, Deseronto, who reached the milestone of one hundred years old on Wednesday last. As his sight is fairly good, he was active and worked faithfully up to Jan. 20, 1920, when he accidentally fell and injured his right knee. Since then he has been confined to his bed. His memory is good and he recollects many incidents of the past. He is the last member living of his parent's family. Mr. Brant's family is the fifth generation.

Was Drowned In Pool.

OWEN SOUND, Ont., March 21.—Robert Cherry, the Keppel farmer who had been missing from his home since Wednesday last, was found dead Sunday morning. He was lying face downward in the pool of water in a marshy tract of land at the back and of his 200-acre farm about three-quarters of a mile from his house. The body was discovered by Messrs. John McNeil and Tom Jones, who live in the vicinity. Mr. Cherry had evidently been dead for a considerable time. It is thought that he had gone out towards Bass Lake to repair some of his fences, and returning through the marsh had succumbed to an attack of heart failure. A track was found leading to where the body lay. Mr. Cherry, who was 54 years of age, disappeared on Wednesday morning. He had helped put on a barn door at Jennings', a neighbor, and had returned home. When last seen by his sister he was choring around the barn; that was shortly before noon. In the afternoon, when Mr. Cherry did not return, the neighbors were notified and a search party was organized. The adjacent country was scoured. The unfortunate man was unmarried and is survived by three sisters at home.

Japan Wants Navy.

LONDON, March 21.—Japan in 1927 will have a fleet equal to that of America and this will transfer the British navy to third place, says a Tokio despatch to the Daily Express.

The Tokio Government, it is added, is spending one-third of the national income on the Japanese navy with the 1927 program calling for eight battleships and eight cruisers not more than eight years old.

The Japanese navy, it is pointed out, was nearer that of the American than the German was to the British in 1914, and Japan to-day is spending five times as much on her navy as Germany did in the pre-war days.

The supposition, the Express correspondent adds, is that Japan wants to be able to resist any possible pressure from America in her Far East program.

PERSONALS

Miss Lena Graham is home from Utica, N. Y.

Mrs. W. H. Milsap spent a few days last week in Kingston.

Mrs. Chas. Cole, Deseronto, spent the week-end in Napanee.

Miss Helen Wallace is home from Toronto for Easter holidays.

Mrs. Shorey Acton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Anderson.

Mr. George Grange, London, was in Napanee a few days last week.

Judge McAuley, Belleville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davy.

Mr. John O'Neill attended Orange Grand Lodge in Lindsay last week.

Mrs. G. A. Wallace has returned from spending several weeks in Toronto.

Mrs. Dr. Vrooman and Miss Josephine returned from Toronto Sunday.

Mrs. Frolick and Mr. Herbert Frolick, Toronto, spent the week-end in Napanee.

Mr. Geo. Dunlop has returned to Toronto after spending two weeks in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Temple, Kingston, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Reid, Pleasant Valley, entertained a party of friends on Friday evening last.

Brig.-Gen. W. B. King was in Napanee on Saturday inspecting the new unit at the Armouries.

Miss Hattie Wartman is spending a week in Toronto with Mrs. Cottle, on her way to Winnipeg, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Cliff returned last week after spending several months with their daughter, Mrs. Scott, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Whittington left last Wednesday for Chicago, after spending the winter with his father, Mr. Geo. Whittington.

Mrs. D. F. Minnes, Toronto, returned to Toronto on Sunday, after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tierney.

Miss Rowena G. Smith has taken over Miss Hall's position as Junior Director at the Napanee Branch of the Wheatley Music Studios Co.

Mrs. W. Conway, Mrs. Robt. Cheeke and Miss Will Sagar were in Lindsay last week attending Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association.

Mr. Norman Kitchen and Miss McWinter, Mr. Howard Hart and Miss M. McGinness, Students of N. H. S., spent a very enjoyable evening Thursday last at the home of Miss M. C. Winter, of Newburgh.

The announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Hattie Elizabeth Wartman, daughter of the late Franklin Beacord and Mrs. Wartman, to Mr. Ancel Proverbs, of Regina. The marriage will take place in Winnipeg, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weeks, on March 26th.

BIRTHS

Harrison—At Napanee, on Saturday, March 12th, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, a daughter.

Young—At West Plain, on Saturday, March 19th, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Young, a daughter.

For your muffins go to H. W. KELLY'S and get a box of Kellog's Bran. Try it, you will like it.

YARKER.

What might have been a very serious accident occurred on Saturday night, March 12th, when Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and son were returning home from this village with a horse and buggy when the horse lost its footing and slid down the embankment of the branch bridge, taking the buggy and occupants with it. Luckily no one was hurt, but the buggy and harness were badly broken.

Bruce Richardson and son, Clinton, were badly burned about the face and hands by an explosion which resulted from the striking of a match where they were tarring an outside refrigerator.

Mr. and Mrs. Renton, Kingston, spent a week-end recently with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Connolly.

Mrs. (Dr.) Oldham is on the sick list.

Miss McLeod, Fifth Lake, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Byron Holden.

W. B. Dunn spent a week-end at Ottawa recently.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Holden and children spent Sunday, recently at W. Benn's, Colebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandevoort and daughter, Belleville, were recent visitors in the village.

Some friends of the following were entertained recently at the following homes: oysters, Mrs. George Lee, Mrs. Myles Wilson and Mrs. James Freeman's.

Mrs. Claud Thompson, Elm Tree, visited at the home of Geo. Woodcock.

The new time table of the C.N.R. takes effect to-day, difference in getting the night's mail from Kingston.

Mertie Smith has recovered after being confined to her home with jaundice.

A number from here attended the Salisbury-Carroll law-suit at Newburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons Actinolite, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Richardson.

All are glad to see Erwell Boulton with his arm out of the sling.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson and son were recent visitors at the home of Urban Wilson.

Mrs. Carroll Harrowsmith and D. Hill, Kingston, were recent visitors at the home of Damory Carroll.

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Lovely New Wearing Apparel for Easter and Spring

Prices are lower. Assortments are generous. Service courteous.

CHOOSE YOUR REQUIREMENTS TO-DAY AT ROBINSON'S

Easter Sunday is just a few days away. Time to choose.

NEW EASTER SUITS

A suit is a suit for sure, but what a wide variety there are in suits, particularly in suits chosen from our spring assortments. We have suits especially created for all the spring and summer activities in which women and misses indulge.

While styles may vary to such an extent that they are impossible to describe intelligently, yet in each and every garment you find that sterling workmanship, that supreme finish, those well chosen linings, which are so essential in the suits to-day.

Serges, Gabardine, Tricotines, Homespuns and Jerseys rank high in fashionable popularity.

Priced from $35.00 to $82.50.

SPRING AND EASTER COATS

From a standpoint of price no one need go without a new Coat for Easter. Our stock this year runs from $14.95 to $67.50.

The new modes for this season are indeed fascinating and practical. Interesting to a captivating degree are garments in coat style with large set in and raglan sleeves, others are in Mandarin style, still others in more extreme garments are just openings with cuffs attached.

Our coats are all Canadian made, yet each garment has earmarks of New York styling.

The materials vary from cosy looking Velours and Duvytens to twill fabrics as Serges, Gabardines and Tricotines.

Obtainable in a comprehensive range of colorings.

EASTER MILLINERY IN A MULTITUDE OF STYLES

When it comes to describing the mode in millinery this season we realize our incapability of doing justice to the hats and to you. As one woman said at our openings, "They are immense." This does not necessarily mean size alone, but implies the beautiful rich tones of the gorgeous flower trimmings, the colorful shades in straws and silks employed. It is indeed a gay season from a color viewpoint. Veils are a part of nearly every smart hat. Obtainable are suitable models for the requirements of every woman. **Prices are down.**

PRESENTING THE CASE IN EASTER DRESSES

Summing up all the evidence possible to obtain "DRESSES" are decidedly the most popular garment in the modern women's wardrobe. From a standpoint of styles they never were more beautiful. Evidently designers of dresses have been burning the candle at night in an effort to create something decidedly unusual. In this they have been most successful. While styles are most alluring we find the colors just as enchanting. One model in navy taffeta is handsomely embroidered with grey in the new eyelet design. The quality of materials used is indeed extraordinary. **Moderately priced.**

INTENDING PURCHASERS WILL SAVE MONEY ON THESE PURE WOOL SERGES

We are presenting a splendid saving opportunity to those intending to purchase dress fabrics this season. If your choide should be SERGE, these qualities are worth your close inspection. The values speak for themslves. Read the items below.

Lot Number 1.—A pure wool Serge, regular value $2.75, Sale Price $1.98 per yd. This is a Canadian made serge, guaranteed absolutely pure wool, splendid weight for dress or skirt, in colors of Brown, Wine, Taupe, Saxe, 40 in. wide.

Lot Number 2—A great leader in Wool Serge, reg. value $3.75, Sale Price $2.89. This is a special purchase and we pass it on to our customers at a remarkable saving. This is a Canadian made serge, 50 in. wide, pure wool, colors Black, Brown, Saxe, Navy.

Lot Number 3—Make note of this top notch Serge value. Reg. $4.75, Sale Price $3.48. This is a very fine twill pure Wool Serge, illustrating unusual value, and right up to the minute shades, 54 in. wide, colors Black, Navy, Brown, Grey, Beige, Beaver, Purple, Saxe, Green.

Lot Number 4—Here is a $6.00 Botany Serge, on sale, $3.95 per yd. 1 piece each Pure Wool Serge, made from Botany yarns, soft in finish, a splendid weight for the spring suit, colors Navy and Black, 54 in. wide.

SPRING OVERCOAT TIME FOR MEN

During the time of high prices we did not blame a man for not buying an extra Overcoat for spring, but now with the prices down to where our stock has been marked we feel that it would be poor economy for any man not to have one of these and run the chance of catching cold. Below we list a few of our

EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES

3 fairly heavy, Grey Mixed Stripe Overcoats, sizes 37, 39, 42—$25.00 value for $17.50.

2 Dark Grey Tweed, form fitting, belted, sizes 36 and 38—$25.00 value for $17.50.

3 Dark Green Mixed Tweed, slip-on style, patch pockets, sizes 36, 37, 40—$30.00 value for $22.50.

4 Dark Green Mixed Tweed, semi-form fitting, slanting pockets, sizes 36, 37, 38, 39—$30.00 value for $22.50.

2 Dark Green Mixed Tweed with check, semi-form fitting, patch pockets, sizes 37, 38—$24.50 value for $22.00.

4 Black Cheviot Coats, fly front Chesterfield, sizes 36, 37, 39, 40—A special value at $20.00.

5 Dark Green Mixed Tweed, shoulder lined, patch pockets, sizes 37, 38, 39, 40, 42—$28.50 value for $20.00.

Seven odd overcoats worth from $20.00 up to $32.50—Our special prices $15.00 to $25.00.

LEATHER LABEL WORK CLOTHES

We are the agents for Leather Label work clothes—Canada's best make—Fully guaranteed. All sizes now in stock.

THE NEW EASTER GLOVES

In Silk and Chamoisette on Display Now in our Glove Department.

For Easter and early spring the new shade will be grey in all the various tones. In addition to the various greys there are many beautiful Mastic, Mode and Pongee shades. These will harmonize with almost any of the rich spring colors in suit or frock.

SILK GLOVES—In silver grey with self embroidered points, double finger tips, two dome fasteners at wrist, "Kayser make" price $1.50 pair.

Metalic silver shade, with black embroidered points, guaranteed double finger tips, dome fastenings, price $1.75 pr.

Taupe silk with self and black embroidered points, extra quality silk, price $1.50 pair.

Double silk gloves in silver grey, "Kayser make" price $2.50 pair.

Mastic and Mode shades in silk gloves, with self or embroidered Black points; double finger tips, price $1.50, $1.75 pair.

Navy Blue silk with self or white embroidered points, price $1.25 $1.75 pair.

White and black silk with self or contrasting points, price $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 pair.

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES in wrist length, colors Brown, Grey, Mastic, Mode, Buck, with Black points at $1.00 pair.

Gauntlet gloves with soft cuff, elastic gathering at wrist, in colors Brown, Mode, Mastic, Grey, price $1.25 pair.

Gauntlet gloves with soft cuff, strap fastener at wrist, in colors White, Brown, Mode, Mastic, Grey, price $1.50 pair.

THE NEW SPRING CAPS FOR MEN

Beautiful Cloths, Popular Shapes, at Moderate Prices.

An exquisite line of spring caps await your inspection and it will be a real pleasure for us to show you each and every line. The one piece top is as usual the big seller. A splendid variety of colors.

A VERY SPECIAL LINE OF BOYS' CAPS IN STOCK NOW

These caps are made from the very best of wool cloths and come in the popular one-piece top. Patterns that will appeal to all the boys. We have re-marked every cap over and you can have your choice at $1.00 each.

EASTER CALLS FOR A NEW HAT

Mr. Man! What About Yours?

We have gone thoroughly through our hat stock and you will be surprised at the BIG VALUES we are offering. The shapes are right up to the minute.

Genuine Fur Hats from $3.00 up.

Choose yours to-day.

MEN'S TWEED RAINCOATS, DOUBLE TEXTURE, GUARANTEED WATERPROOF

It is years and years since we have been able to show you such splendid bargains in Men's Raincoats, and these bargains are very timely as spring is the great raincoat season of the year, and every man should protect himself by having one ready for immediate use. The following descriptions give you an idea of the styles and colors of some of them.

7 Greenish Grey and 5 Brown Coats, all round belts, sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44—A $13.50 value for $10.00.

2 Fawn Mixed Tweed, sizes 36, 38, all round belts—A $15.00 value for $10.00.

2 Mixed Brown Tweed, sizes 38, 42—An $18.50 value for $12.50.

3 Plain Brown, sizes 36, 40, 44—An $18.50 value for $12.50.

2 Medium Grey, sizes 40, 46—An $18.50 value for $12.50.

2 Mixed Brown, sizes 34, 36—An $18.50 value for $12.50.

3 Plain Grey, sizes 36, 38, 40—$24.50 values for $17.50.

4 Plain Dark Grey motor, sizes 36, 38, 40, 42—$24.50 values for $17.50.

3 Plain Brown, sizes 38, 40, 42—$24.50 values for $17.50.

3 Mixed Brown, sizes 36, 38, 40—$24.50 values for $17.50.

Don't forget all of these coats are double texture and guaranteed waterproof. We are sorry we have not space to adequately describe them.

SOME ODDS AND ENDS IN BOYS' TWEED RAINCOATS

One Brown Check Tweed for four-year-old, regular $7.50 for $4.90.

One small Black and Grey Check Tweed for 7-year-old, regular $5.00 for $3.50.

Two Fawn Mixed Tweeds for 11-year-olds, regular $9.89 for $4.90.

One Fawn Mixed Tweed for 13-year-old, regular $9.89 for $4.90.

One Brown Worsted for 13-year-old, regular $9.89 for $4.90.

Two Grey Mixed for 13-year-old, regular $9.89 for $4.90.

One Medium Brown Tweed for 11-year-old, regular $9.89 for $4.90. The above are all double texture.

Olive Khaki Waterproof Slickers, two only, six-year-old size, one only 10-year-old size, special price $3.50 to clear.

ACORN TABLE OIL CLOTH, THE OIL CLOTH THAT WEARS LONGEST

We have a complete range of patterns just received, selected from the new designs. The patterns are Floral, Tile, Block and Natural Wood, Antique Oak, Mahogany, Norway Pine, Dark Oak and Rose Wood, also some very attractive damask patterns in 5-4 and 6-4 widths.

Art Pattern Cloths are very much used. They have a border all round the centre; are block patterns, also medallion. They are 1¾ x 1½ yds. in size, priced at $1.15 each.

Apron Oil Cloth has become a household necessity, being waterproof they protect your dress thoroughly from moisture. The pattern is very neat Blue Grey check, width 48 in., price 75c. yd. One yard makes a large apron.

Spanish Tan Drill wears and looks like leather, costs a good deal less. For couch or chair coverings it is the best material procurable. You can supply it yourself and save half the price of a new piece of furniture. Comes 45 in. wide at the low price of $1.10 yd.

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